

### LINCOLN PHRASES.

Bad promises are better broken than kept.  
You cannot overturn a pyramid, but you can undermine it.  
We shall sooner have the fowl by hatching the egg than by smashing it.  
Some men are convinced through much argument, but calling a sheep's tail a leg does not make it so.  
With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in, to bind up the nation's wounds, to care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow and his orphan, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations.

### TAKE NOTICE.

The Annual Debate between the Alpha Zeta and Phi Delta Literary Societies, on the question: "Resolved, that the history of trade unions in the United States for the past twenty years has shown a general tendency detrimental to the best interests of our country," occurs to-morrow night at 7.30 p. m. in the Tabernacle.

### FROM THE WIDE WORLD.

Vandals smeared the statue of Shakespeare at Weimar with black acid.  
Twenty Bulgarians were killed in a fight with Turks at Strumitza February 16. The Turks burned the village, and the bodies of fourteen women and several children subsequently were found in the ruins.  
The students of the St. Petersburg University held a turbulent meeting Monday and decided to suspend their studies until the fall. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the war and demanding the freedom of speech, freedom of the press and various reforms.

### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY.

David Hanna, one of the most prominent men of Harrodsburg, Ky., is dead.  
Still more indictments are expected in the Cockrill murder case in Breathitt county.  
As a result of the first week's work by the visiting evangelists in Louisville, 3,000 people signed cards Sunday declaring their intention to lead Christian lives.  
Danville, Feb. 21.—A Y. M. C. A. building that will cost in the neighborhood of \$25,000 will be erected in Danville within a short time. In the past two weeks a movement has been started among the business men and citizens of the county, and several different sites in the heart of the city have been mentioned as excellent locations.—To-morrow evening in the Second Presbyterian church the annual twenty-second oratorical contest between the Deionlogian and Chamberlain Literary Societies of Centre College will take place.

### IN OUR OWN COUNTRY.

The fire loss at the Hoosac tunnel docks at Charlestown, Mass., amounted to a million dollars.  
The degree of Doctor of Law was conferred on President Roosevelt and Emperor William by the University of Pennsylvania.  
President Roosevelt has signed the bill relieving Collector Denton, of Danville, Ky., of liability for \$57,000 worth of stolen revenue stamps.  
The Washington anniversary address to the University of Pennsylvania students was delivered in the Academy of Music at Philadelphia by President Roosevelt.  
Gen. Lew Wallace, author of "Ben Hur," former Minister to Turkey, and veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died Wednesday at his home in Crawfordsville, Ind., after a long illness. He was seventy-eight years old.  
The Kansas Oil Producers Association sent a telegram to the President protesting against the renewal of privileges in the Osage reservation to the Standard Oil Company, and invoking the aid of the Government in the battle with the octopus.  
One hundred and fifty-two coal miners were entrapped in the bowels of a mine of the Alabama Steel and Wire Company, near Bessemer, Ala., Monday afternoon, through an explosion that caused tons of debris to fall at the entrance to the shaft, completely closing it.  
The House Committee on Agriculture will recommend a bill to prohibit the dissemination of insect pests. The bill was suggested by the plan proposed by a Texas man to a New York financial house for the booming of the cotton market by scattering the boll weevil throughout the South.



MOTHER AND CHILD IN A JAPANESE GARDEN.

The Japanese are as picturesque as they are plucky, and the gardens of the well to do where mothers and children get fresh air and exercise are beautiful spots. Among the poor Japanese babies are carried strapped on the backs of their older brothers and sisters, who run and hop about in play as if unconscious of the burdens they carry.

## THE MINE HORROR.

The Scene at the Virginia Colliery is Most Gruesome and Harrowing.

### HEROIC EFFORT OF RESCUERS.

Of the 160 Men Entombed by the Explosion Only 45 Bodies Have Been Brought Up.

The Recovery of So Many Precludes Any Idea That Any Living Men Remain Among the Unfortunates Still in the Mine.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 22.—The scene at the Virginia mines where a terrific afterdamp explosion imprisoned 160 men 700 feet below the surface, was the most gruesome and harrowing that has ever been witnessed in the mining section of Alabama. Of the miners who entered the mines so far only 45 bodies have been recovered. As time grows, notwithstanding the Titanic efforts of the rescuers to reach the entombed men, the recovery already of so many dead bodies precludes any idea that any living men remain among the unfortunates still in the mine.  
With the first ominous grumble of the coming catastrophe, by common impulse every citizen of the model mine village of Virginia rushed to the mouth of the main slope. Crazed then with anxiety the abject hopelessness of rescuing their fathers, brothers and sons, has only increased the harrowing scenes around the mines.

### Corpses Frightfully Mangled.

The corpses are frightfully mangled and disfigured and identification is almost impossible. Many of them are so badly bruised and twisted and discolored that negroes can not be told from white men. All day long at the mouth of the mine the wailing and moaning of the women and children whose unfortunate relatives were in the mine has been the most heartrending feature of the disaster. One hundred families and 300 children are left destitute and without means of support by the calamity and they are of the best class of mining families in Alabama. As the bodies of the victims which, in many cases, have been gathered together a piece at a time, are brought to the surface, they are placed in rows on a rough improvised platform and ambulances began the removal of those so far recovered to Bessemer.

Since the list of dead will probably go to 160 the local undertakers have wired to adjoining cities for coffins, as it was found there were not enough suitable coffins in the district to bury the victims.

### Handicapped By Foul Gases.

The work of the diggers at the mine has been an inspiration to the spectators and every one has done all in his power to facilitate the work of rescue. The excavation of the debris has been handicapped from the start. The foul gases which had collected in the slope made necessary the use of safety lamps, and it was found that less than a score of safety lamps were available in the district. Union miners went to the scene from practically every mining camp within a radius of 25 miles

of Virginia City to aid in the work of rescue.

Out of the 45 bodies recovered so far one was found which was barely alive. The body was carefully taken from the mine and heroic methods resorted to bring the man to consciousness. He is still alive, but scant hope is held out for his recovery. President Flynn, of the Alabama United Mine Workers, said:

"I shall be surprised if a single person escapes alive from that mine. Ventilation is very difficult and if the men were not killed by the explosion they have certainly been suffocated by the gases. The bodies so far reached were in the main slope and it will be several days before we can get to the rooms which branch off from the main slope."

### Head Brought Up in a Basket.

One of the most gruesome sights witnessed was a man's head being carried out of the mine in a dinner basket. It was found in this position and the flesh was almost entirely burned away from the skull. Legs, arms and mangled trunks were brought out in succession in this manner. After nightfall the entrance to the mine was converted into a veritable chamber of horrors, the awfulness of which was intensified by the flickering of the lamps as the feeble rays fell upon the mangled and bleeding fragments of human flesh strewn about the entrance in sickening confusion.

### Master Sheet Metal Workers.

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—Master sheet metal workers from various parts of the country as far west as Milwaukee met here and formed the National Association of Master Sheet Metal Workers. Twenty states were represented.

### Internal Revenue Collections.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue show that for the month of January, 1905, the receipts were \$17,380,443, an increase as compared with January, 1904, of \$484,959.

### Two Men Burned To Death.

Lewistown, Pa., Feb. 22.—Peter Morrow, aged 48 years, of Youngstown, O., and "Shorty" McMann, 39 years of age, of Hays Station, near Pittsburg, were burned to death in a shanty near Burnham.

### A STRENUOUS ELECTION.

There Were Disorders at the Polls in Many Wards in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 22.—Seldom has Pittsburg passed through a more strenuous election than when the citizens (the party in power) and the regular republicans fought for supremacy by working every known political scheme in the election of a controller. It is known that John B. Larkin (citizen) has defeated Andrew C. McLean (rep.). The republicans concede Larkin's election by 5,000 majority and the citizens claim it by 9,000. Disorder at the polls in many of the wards reached the riot stage in some of the precincts. One death from excitement is reported.

### Training of Cadets.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Under instructions from the president a joint board of army and naval officers met at the army war college building to consider and report upon the possible training of cadets at the United States military and naval academies and the question of swords and swordsmanship in the army and navy.

## RUSSIAN-JAP WAR.

Question of Peace Between the Nations is Being Discussed at St. Petersburg.

### TERMS PRACTICALLY AGREED ON.

Port Arthur and the Liao Tung Peninsula to Be Ceded to the Japanese Government.

Korea To Be Placed Under Japanese Suzerainty—Vladivostok To Be Declared a Neutral Port With An Open Door.

London, Feb. 22.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Co. from St. Petersburg confirming the advices of February 17 and February 18 from St. Petersburg to the effect that peace was under consideration, adds:

"The question of peace has not only been formally discussed, but the conditions on which Russia is prepared to make peace have practically been agreed upon. These are as follows: Korea to be placed under Japanese suzerainty. Port Arthur and the Liao Tung peninsula to be ceded to Japan. Vladivostok to be declared a neutral port with an open door. The Eastern Chinese railroad to be placed under neutral international administration. Manchuria as far north as Harbin to be restored as an integral part of the Chinese empire.

"The difficulty lies in settling the question of indemnity upon which it is known that Japan insists, but it is thought that this difficulty is not insuperable. The most trustworthy opinion at St. Petersburg is that in view of the internal situation and the enormous difficulty in carrying on the war peace on these terms outlined will be concluded within a comparatively short time if the indemnity question can be arranged, but it is quite possible that Russia will risk another battle before a decision is reached."

### The Peace Rumors in London.

London, Feb. 22.—The rumors that peace between Russia and Japan is near are accepted by the press of London as having strong inherent probability. It is pointed out as perhaps significant that Count Benckendorff, Russian ambassador, has had several audiences recently with King Edward and that the king received in audience Mr. Spring-Rice, councillor of the British embassy at St. Petersburg, who has just returned from Washington, where he was received by Secretary Hay and President Roosevelt. According to continental reports, the emperor of Austria has used his efforts to persuade Emperor Nicholas to seek peace. It is suggested that the terms as outlined by the St. Petersburg correspondent may be regarded as forming an extremely possible basis for peace, as they are held to include more than Japan claimed before the war. Minister Hayashi said he considered the suggested terms highly interesting and important, but he added, he was not aware of any new factor tending to induce Russia to make overtures and had no intimations pointing to the conclusion of peace. Neither could he say what terms would be acceptable to Japan.

### Not Known in Washington.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Peace talk between Russia and Japan always finds attentive listeners in Washington, where there is a wish to see the war between the two countries come to an end. Whatever the Russians are discussing in this matter has not reached officials here. The Japanese, according to Mr. Takahira, the minister from that country, have no reason to take the initiative. The general expectation is that should Japan, strengthened as she is by the prestige of her many victories in the war, decide to take the initiative she would make representations to Russia through Great Britain or France.

### TROUBLE INCREASING.

Shops Were Pillaged and Fighting Occurred in Many Parts of Baku.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 22.—Telegrams from Baku report that the disturbances there are increasing and that fighting has occurred in many parts of the town, that shops have been pillaged and houses burned, and that the inhabitants are panic-stricken. Serious disturbances are also reported at Balakhany, eight miles north of Baku and troops have been summoned thither.

### A Sixty-Year Term.

Manila, Feb. 22.—Maj. Carrington was sentenced to serve a term of 60 years and 5 days imprisonment for falsifying government vouchers for the amount of \$1,500. Convicted on five counts, the sentence on each was 12 years and 1 day. The case will be carried to the supreme court of the Philippines.

### On the Honor List.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 22.—The names of 16 girls appear on this year's honor list at Vassar college. Among them are Bertha Rickenbrode Barden, Painesville, O.; Stella Russell Hubbard, Wheeling, W. Va.; Katie Galt Miller and Daisy Lee Worthington,

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## OUR INDIANS.

They have organized an "Injun" band—  
The thousand boys upon our street;  
I'm sure no Indians in the land  
Our Indians can beat.

They all come out at six o'clock  
And whoop it up till eight;  
The biggest copper on the block  
Can't keep those youngsters straight.

With sound the air is bursting full—  
They have no use for paleface laws;  
The chief's name is Sitting Bull,  
And all the little girls are squaws.

The street repairer came last week—  
Italians, rollers, brick and sand,  
And every archer that could shriek,  
Turned out to join the Injun band.

Each setting sun brings some new joy—  
They gave the scalping dance to-day;  
Took prisoner a minstrel boy,  
And bade the imprisoned minstrel play.

'Tis late—I miss their noisy prance,  
Our dim old land in quiet rests;  
And, weary of the pow-wow dance,  
Sleep minute Injuns in their nests.  
—C. M. S., in N. Y. Sun.

## The Iron Brigade

A STORY OF THE ARMY  
OF THE POTOMAC

By GEN. CHARLES KING  
Author of "Keweenaw Point," "The Colonel's  
Daughter," "Fort Frayne," Etc.

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### CHAPTER XI. QUEEN ROSALIE.

For ten minutes after reading that strange missive Benton stood absorbed in deep, painful thought. The alternative presented was a trying one. From what Dr. Chilton had said in the course of the evening's conference the prospect of long imprisonment seemed assured. Lounsberry was a man of influence, even a power, at Richmond, and he could be relied on to exert it against Benton because—"because," said the doctor, as he was rearranging the bandages on Benton's arm, "he is no longer kindly disposed toward my household, sub," and Fred reasoned that Rosalie could, if she would, give further and more explicit information.

"I have been fearing this for several days, sub," said Chilton. "Several of my patients, who are loyal Virginians and fully in accord with the stand of their state, sub, have nevertheless been loyal in their friendship to me. They believe in fair play. They honor a chivalric enemy, and they know how you protected and aided me. From three or four sources, therefore, these warnings came, and—and other stories that I prefer not to mention. I refused to believe all until Maj. Lounsberry practically confirmed the truth—that is—the truth of those referring to him, to-day. But I shall write to Longstreet to-night, sub, and to Jeb Stuart and to Gen. Lee. They will have influence with the president, Mr. Benton, and meanwhile, here both the kindly voice and the gentle hand seemed to tremble,—"I would give almost anything I own to—to stop your being sent to Libby, sub, but, I see no way—I see no way."

And soon thereafter, leaving Pomp to assist his soldier patient, the doctor had withdrawn to his study on the ground floor, promising to be with him again about five.

It was just after 11 o'clock by Benton's watch as he roused himself from the spell of anxious thought and looked about him. There was significance in Pomp's disappearance. It was evident that the youngster had been carefully "coached" to point out the lightning rod as the best means to leave the house unseen, unheard. That Benton was confidently expected to make the attempt was obvious. Otherwise Pomp would have remained to help him off with his boots and uniform. Even to his watch, purse, spurs and boots not an item of his personal equipment had been taken by his captors. His sword had been stricken from his hand during the melee at the home house and his revolver was gone, but that was all. A year later everything would have become legitimate spoils of war.

Peering from his window Benton saw, or fancied he saw, the dim light of a lantern flitting about the barn. Evidently they were even then waiting for him. Evidently he was expected to "lose not a moment." Yet who were they? Surely not his venerable host and helper—for Dr. Chilton could not lend himself to any scheme for the escape of the prisoner without breaking faith with the confederate government. Surely not Jack, his wounded son, for court-martial and dismissal in disgrace would follow even circumstantial evidence that he had aided or suggested the escape. Surely not Rosalie! She had shown such deep abhorrence of the plot to speed his going that, even after her impulsive outbreak early in the evening, he could not but feel it would be treachery to her and to those she held dear, were he now to make the attempt, notwithstanding the fact that transfer to Libby stared him in the face.

Pomp's complicity it was easy to explain. The negroes, as a rule, were glad to help the "Lincoln soldiers," and where they were hesitant, a bribe soon settled the matter. Then Pomp's suggestion of the lightning rod was still further proof that outsiders, not Chiltons, were at the bottom of the plan, for, did the household favor it, they would never have sent a one-armed man swinging into space when the back stairs and the back door were

unguarded, and guards or sentries of any kind there had been none, so sacred was the word of a Chilton. No; as he still pondered over the question, the hands of his watch crept to half-past 11, and a horse, somewhere out in what appeared to be a lane or alley behind the barn, neighed impatiently; and, surely as he could hear the tick of his watch, the beating of his own heart, Benton caught the sound of a low, gruff voice almost directly underneath his window, and then the dull, sudden tramp of hoofs on rain-soaked sod. Then—then there were two horses—or two parties—one in the dark lane, one here almost at his feet.

"Lose not a moment," said the note he had crumpled in his hand, yet here had he lost 20 in childish hesitancy. Again he read the clearly penciled lines. Again he recalled Rosalie's eagerness to see the previous note, and her contemptuous confidence as to its authorship. "Burn this, too," said the second missive; and, in honor, was he not bound to shield one who so eagerly, unselfishly sought to aid or rescue him? Yet Rosalie wished to see, and—good God, how he longed once more to see her and satisfy himself that she would approve, condone, forgive if he seized this chance of escape!—to satisfy himself, moreover, that she no longer held him as she had—in rank disfavor, that possibly—possibly—But that thought was madness!

And then, though his door stood a trifle ajar and he had been listening, listening for any sound that would tell of her presence near him—that he might, even at so late an hour, have one word with her; though not the whisper of a footfall had reached his ears, something, light as down and barely audible even to him, was softly, stealthily tapping on the panel.

Marvelling, he tiptoed to the door, and a little scrap of paper waved before his eyes. Not a finger was visible. He took the paper with his one unfettered hand; threw open the door by a quick twist of the foot, and something with long, dusky masses of hair trailing behind it sped away in the dim light from the lower hall. A board or two creaked. There was a faint swish of skirts, a whiff of fragrance like that of the wild violet, but that was all. On



"HUSH!"

the floor below the hall lamp still burned, and the doctor, busy in his sanctum, hemmed loudly and stirred as though to hail or speak. A door closed across the wide landing—her door as Benton could judge by the sound—and then he was alone with this second note.

Bearing it to the dressing-table, he read: "Precious time wasted! Go—or it may be too late. Rely implicitly on first guide you find."

And this, at least, was not from the hand that penciled the other!

Again the sound of horses' hoofs beneath the window, and low-toned, re-buked, yet almost imploring remonstrance. A darkey's voice surely.

"Cain't yo keep him still?" it asked, and Benton crept to the open window and peered down into the dim depths below, and then came the soft half in tones he felt sure he knew—Black Dan's—Dan whom he had heard singing and doing chores about the sheds and gardens for days past: "Fo' Gawd, Marse Benton, 'f you don come quick dis horse'll spile de whole business."

Then another voice—a mere whisper, half drowned by the sweep of the wind in the trees—Pomp's quavering tenor. "Yo don need fotch nawthin, Marse Benton. We've got everythin' hyuh." Then came a sudden scurry without, for midway to the barn a soft, low whistle sounded, and almost instantly Benton heard the sound of hoofs again. They were hurriedly leading a horse—or two horses—away. A lantern swung impatiently at the corner of the barn. Somebody was surely signaling. Something prompted him by way of answer to blow out his candle, to thrust the notes—both scraps of paper—into a convenient pocket, then to kneel by the window and watch and listen.

Almost instantly the lantern disappeared, and there were five minutes of silence. Then, as he knelt and watched and waited and all was still without and his darkey aides-de-camp made no further hall, suddenly he heard the creak behind him of a door cautiously opening, and, looking over his shoulder in the dim ghostly light sifting through the balustrade from the floor below, he was able to discern a tall, slender form coming noiselessly, cautiously, straight to his now wide-open door. Rosalie beyond a doubt, and she believed him gone!

Go then he must! Athlete that he had been, ever since boyhood, it was no trick at all to swing, even one-handed, on so thick a rod. His heavy gauntlet was already on, and, just as he

reached forth to grasp the iron, his practiced ear caught the stealthy tread of spurred boots on the path below—coming from the back gate—the way to the barn. Another moment and, distinctly, in a sudden lull of the breeze, he heard a low, cautious voice in half murmur, half whisper. Words were indistinguishable, but he knew the tones—Lounsberry beyond question, and Lounsberry hailing in expectation of finding there an accomplice.

Not a second could he lose now! To go would be to meet the death of an escaping prisoner—or, at best, justifiable imprisonment behind the bars. To stay where he was might involve her—night at least so startle as to force from her a cry of alarm. Quick, light and lithe as a panther he sprang to his feet and met her just outside the door. No time for explanation!

"Silence!" he whispered, almost savagely. "Lounsberry is there," and then, defiant even of her wrath, he wrapped that one strong arm about her, for (this at least, long after, was his one excuse) he thought she would fall, so sudden was the shock and start, so wildly beat the little heart once more fluttering on his breast. For a moment she was too dazed to use her strength, then, through her set teeth, savagely as he had spoken, she hissed at him, while slender fingers tore at his muscular hand:

"Let me go, instantly!" And when he had released her, she again seemed like to fall, and he again essayed to hold her, but now with clinching little fists she fairly beat him off. Then, springing past him, reeling a bit, but desperate and determined, flew to the window, knelt and listened, leaving him faltering one moment at the door. Only a moment, though; for, casting aside all scruple, he followed and knelt beside her. Shrinking from him, with her white hands pressed to her temples; amazement, indignation, then triumph in her face, though he could not see it, she seemed listening absorbed. Again it was Lounsberry's voice, and Lounsberry had found his fellow spy, and with amazing confidence and fluency was Pomp replying. Oh, what gibberish of galle!

"Ye-as, sub, I don't tole him so. He cum down the back stayuhs an' outen de back do' mos' an hour ago, an' fo' we could show him de way, sub, Miss Rosalie come tay'in' after him, an' draw'd him back into de house again!" Benton could feel, although only a fold of her gown touched his knee, that the girl beside him was fairly quivering at that bare-faced whopper, but quivering with wrath or delight he knew not which.

"You imp of hell! If you are lying I'll skin you alive! Whose horses were those in the side lot as I came up?" demanded Lounsberry.

"Fo' Gawd, captain, I do know! Dey was outuhs—outuhs is de bahn, sub. Take de key and see fo' yo'self. Hyuh's de dochtuhs now, sub!"

A stream of yellow light had shot suddenly forth as a door in the north wing was thrown open, and, lantern in hand, out came the head of the house, angering, bareheaded.

"What are you doing here at this hour, you black rascal, and with whom are you talking? Maj. Lounsberry!" and with amazement and dismay in his voice the old Virginian faced his unlooked-for visitor.

"I do not wonder at your surprise, doctor," promptly replied the staff officer, stepping forward into the little circle of light. "I had thought to be at Gordonsville before this, but—strange things are happening, strange stories are afloat. It came to my ears while on the way that your servants had been bribed to enable Lieut. Benton to escape this night. I returned at once, and two of my escorts declare that two horsemen rode away from your side yard yonder barely ten minutes ago. You can hear their story, or satisfy yourself and me, if you will, that—that our prisoner is still here."

"Still here, Maj. Lounsberry," answered the doctor, with grave dignity. "Though I warn you now that since your order was issued remanding him to Libby I no longer assume responsibility. I know that he is still here, but—do you prefer to search in person, sub?"

In an instant Rosalie was on her feet. Only a second or two she stood there, quivering with excitement, then seized him by the arm. "Quick! Follow me," she whispered. Out into the broad landing she rushed, and to Benton's amazement, struck a light, threw open the lid of an old colonial desk that stood with its back against the wall between the doors of her own and her aunt's room, plumped him down into a chair, and scattered paper and envelopes in front of him. "Be writing your letters," she whispered command. Then away she sped, closed her door behind her just as the doctor's voice was again heard in the hall below.

Two minutes later, lantern bearing, the master of the house came slowly up the stairs, followed by the clinking boots of Maj. Lounsberry. Feigning surprise at such interruption, the union officer rose deliberately from his seat and confronted the two. They stopped short, and for a moment were speechless; then—

"As I told you, sub," said Dr. Chilton, with a bow of mock deference, to his unwelcome follower.

"As I—should have known," said Maj. Lounsberry, in prompt though unpalatable acceptance of the situation.

"The major, sub," said Dr. Chilton, to his guest, in pardonably magnificent enjoyment of the situation, "required ocular demonstration that you had not taken unto yourself wings. I rejoice that we didn't have to disturb you in bed. Are you satisfied now, Major Lounsberry?"

"Perfectly, Dr. Chilton." Then to Benton: "Since you do not care to sleep, sir, perhaps it will not incommode you to start at five."

"It would incommode the household, not me," answered Benton, calmly, yet

wondering what he would do if ordered searched at the moment, for both those little tell-tale notes were now crumpled together in his hand. "Breakfast is ordered at 5:30, but—I am entirely at your service." Then placidly he turned and resumed his seat and pen. Once more the doctor ushered his visitor to the front door, ceremoniously bowed him out, regretting, he said, inability to offer him the hospitalities of his roof, for every room was taken, and then, trembling with wrath, returned to Benton.

"I cannot fathom this, sub," said he. "That man gave me to understand he would be at Gaud'sville to-night, and here at midnight comes prowling around my place like he was layin' a trap, sub. Mr. Benton, if there were any way in my power, sub, to get you out of that fella's clutches, I believe I'd do it—hyuh an' now!" and the gray haired physician sank into a chair.

"You can best serve me, doctor, by getting to bed and resting," was Benton's reply. "You need it, sir." And then, to the surprise of both, Rosalie's door opened and forth she came, candle in hand, her lustrous hair falling in ebony waves all down her back, her face pale but beautiful, and with quiet force she led the passive doctor from his seat to the stairway; escorted him to his room; talked with him quietly, soothingly a moment, and then, bidding him affectionate good night, came tripping lightly up the stairs.

But it was a transfigured face that now met Benton's gaze. Flushed, eager, brimful of wrath and determination, she came straight to his side, for one moment too excited to speak, again the girl who had dared every peril the night she donned confederate uniform for the sake of—what?

"I owe everything to your quickness of wit," Benton began. "I should never have thought of this. I was going to jump into my blankets."

"And spoil everything!" said she, in deep disdain of such stupidity. "He would have seen and suspected at once, you, with your boots—in bed! Listen, now. There are riding away," and as she spoke the clanking of sabres and the squashing of hoofs in the soft, muddy side street told that Lounsberry's aggressive party was really on the move. She ran to a window and glanced out after them. Then, when they were surely out of earshot and the sound had died away on the night, once more she came to him, her eyes ablaze, her cheeks aflame.

"And now if I had any compunction," she murmured fast, "it is gone! Of course I had striven that you should never suspect we aided you; and, had you gone at once, you never could have known. No, don't!" For here, with protestation on his lips and eager, outstretched hand, he stepped impulsively forward. "No—no! Listen, for there is no second to spare. The horses—your horses—will be back in a moment. Go without question! You should have miles up toward the mountains now. I simply took a leaf out of that man's book. He planned to lure you to attempt to escape, with creatures of his own waiting back of the barn. Then he was to overtake and arrest you, or they might have shot—I do not know. But they would have been badly fooled. They bribed Pomp to bring you his—her note, and he had to give it first to me. They were to wait beyond the barn, but we had horses right under your window. Then you delayed. They became impatient. Pomp gave warning in time to get the horses away. You know the rest. Now, are you ready?" And the brave eyes looked one instant gloriously into his.

"Ready?" he cried. "Ready but for one thing," and again with burning eagerness he sprang forward, and again she recoiled, her hand uplifted; but he would not be denied. "You shall hear me, Rosalie," he murmured, hoarsely. "You must hear!" and one strong hand had seized the white, slender wrist. "I bless you and thank you, but more than all I love—"

"Hush! Silence!" she cried, adding imperative stamp of her little foot.

From the window of his room there came a pleading voice. In the soft glow of the candle light two rolling eyeballs and a double row of gleaming teeth were seen. It was Pomp, smiling scaler of the lightning "rawd."

"Miss Rosalie," he panted, "the horses is hyuh! The sojers done gone!"

"Now, Lieut. Benton," she cried, though her voice—her very form—was shaking. "If you mean to make a try for freedom, it's now or never!"

And when at dawn Lounsberry's guard came hammering at the door, they came too late—the bird had flown. [To Be Continued.]

### Friday Dinner with Longfellow.

The story is told by a Boston man that on one occasion Mr. Longfellow brought a guest home to dine without advising Mrs. Longfellow beforehand. The guest was a distinguished Englishman who had just arrived with a letter of introduction. The day was Friday, and the cook being a Catholic, the family had fallen into the habit of eating no meat at the Friday dinner. Mrs. Longfellow thought despairingly of the fish and then realizing, I dare say, that dry bread would be a feast with Longfellow at the table, led the guest to the dining room with a faint heart. The fish was brought on. The distinguished guest glanced at it and then he smiled at his hostess. "I know Mrs. Longfellow will pardon me," he said, "if I decline the fish course."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

### Wellington's Pensions.

After the battle of Waterloo the Duke of Wellington was created Prince of Waterloo, and four pensions were conferred on him and his descendants. A Belgian paper states that in the Great Book of the Belgian Public Debt there are four entries every year of payments to the Prince of Waterloo. They are \$3,106fr 14c, 492fr, 35fr 89c, and 2fr 47c, or a total of more than \$3,000.



## AN EDIBLE TOP.

The Kind of a Toy Which May Be Eaten When One Is Tired of Play.

Did you ever spin an egg? It is almost as good fun as spinning a top. The egg must be hard boiled, as a raw or soft egg will not spin well, because the liquid contents will not follow the motion of the shell exactly.

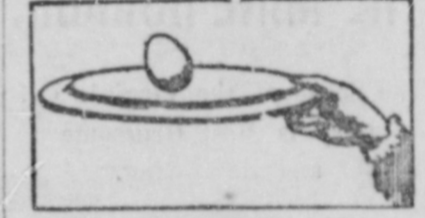
Now there is something queer in the way an egg spins. It is easy enough to make it spin on either the small or the large end by standing it on that end on a plate and twirling it in your fingers, but if you try to make it spin on the



SPINNING EGG WITH STRING.

side it refuses to do so, but stands up and spins on the large end.

It is not quite so easy, though not very difficult, to make an egg spin without twirling it or even touching it with your fingers. Simply lay it on a plate which projects a little over the edge of the table so that you can lift the plate without tipping it. Take it up and move your hands rapidly in a small horizontal circle as if you were trying to make a lot of "haughts" with a pencil. The egg will begin to spin on its end. Or you can keep it spinning in this way.



THE EGG SPINNING ITSELF.

even if you have to start it with your fingers.

It is possible, also, to spin an egg with a string, though, of course, you must not throw it on the floor. Wind the string around the middle of the egg, stand it on one end and steady it by touching the other end lightly with one finger. Then pull the string carefully.

Finally, you can spin an egg with a whip, like a whip top, if you do not whip it too hard and take care not to hit it with the stick, but a glass "nest egg" or a wooden darning egg is better than a real egg for this purpose.

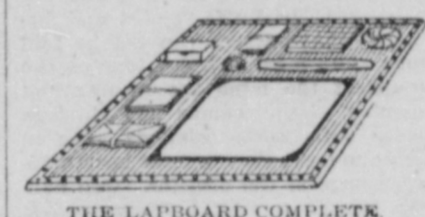
Some eggs spin better than others, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. The best spinners are eggs that are quite regular in shape and have been boiled in an upright position so that the air bubble is exactly at the end, not a little to one side, as it often is.

## HANDY LAPBOARD.

Directions for Making a Most Convenient Article for the Letter Writer.

Many persons, old and young, find a writing board for the lap a great convenience, and nothing that we know of in the stores is so well suited to the purpose as the home-made contrivance here described, says the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune. It is easy to get a lap-board, of course, but this is a pad fully equipped with all the conveniences and implements that one could need.

Get a flat board of well-seasoned wood, not too thick, and of the size that



THE LAPBOARD COMPLETE.

you would find most convenient. Cover it with cloth of some dark, serviceable color and tack it round the edges with brass-headed nails; or you might get furniture tacks to match the cloth in color.

Use bands of good silk elastic for holding the address book, calendar, envelopes, pens, pencils, etc. The bands should be tacked down securely. Inkstand, stamp box and penwiper may be attached to the board or not, as you choose, but if they are attached it should be with strong glue, such as the cabinet makers use.

A flap of cloth may be attached to one side of the board, which will serve as a cover when the board is not in use.

### Of Electrical Origin.

M. Guarini, the Belgian astronomer, believes that earthquakes are of electrical origin, and can be prevented by the arrangement of suitable conductors to carry off the electricity in a way as to not disturb the earth. In certain cases railroad rails will serve as conductors, if electrically united.

## RIGHTS OF A NEWSBOY.

How a Denver Judge Sidetracked an Important Case to Give Him Justice.

It is good to know that all legal proceedings are not of the "Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce" type, bound to inefficiency by yards of red tape, but that the ear of the law can stoop to hear the claims of a child and the arm of the law protect with ready directness the interests of a little street boy. The report of the juvenile court, of Denver, Col., gives an instance that is worth quoting.

One day in a busy civil session of the court, which was trying a will case involving \$2,000,000, the courtroom door opened and a boy poked in a tousled head and freckled face. The court officer "shooed" him out, but he returned secure in the knowledge of his rights there.

The judge ordered a recess of three minutes, to the disgust of some of the distinguished council, and the boy came to the bench.

He was a newsboy. He said that he was having trouble; that for two years a policeman on the beat had let him sell papers on a certain corner, and now, as he expressed it, "a fly guy" had taken his place, and because he was a "new cop, he thought he owned the town," and had ordered the boy off the favorite corner, making him lose 50 cents a day.

The judge did a remarkable and unusual thing. Considering that the boy had a case as important as the one before the bar concerning the millions that a dead man had left behind for surviving selfishness, he held up all proceedings while justice was done to the little chap of the streets.

There is often a rich kernel of right in a little thing. A principle of justice is no bigger when it applies to rich people's money than when it concerns a poor boy's pennies. Injustice might have driven the boy out of honest business. It might have impressed indelibly upon him a resentment against the law and a contempt for it. That is one way bad citizens are made.

## HOW TO GET STRONG.

Simple Wrist and Hand Exercises Which Will Aid Physical Development.

Many, even among otherwise very strong, people forget that "a chain is as strong as its weakest link." The hands, fingers and wrists are often overlooked in the desire for a big biceps only.

Here are a series of movements, says the St. Paul Globe, specially directed to strengthen these parts:

Exercise 1.—Position: Fingers close together, thumb pressing against the side of the first finger, not in front.

Movement: Slowly widen out the fingers to their fullest extent all in one plane; pause momentarily, and return



WRIST AND HAND EXERCISES

to the ready position, pressing the fingers tightly together.

Exercise 2.—Ready position: Back of the hand upward, fingers together, thumb slightly apart.

Movement: Reverse, bringing the palm of the hand slowly up, so that the palm is perfectly horizontal; return to ready position and repeat.

Exercise 3.—Ready position, as in Exercise 2.

Movement: Work the hand slowly from side to side as far as possible.

Exercise 4.—Ready position: Fingers flexed upon themselves (not upon the palm), as shown in sketch.

Movement: (a) Extend fingers to full extent, keeping them together. Flex them rapidly again to ready position (b) as before, but extend fingers to full extent, fanwise, separated from one another instead of extending them together.

Exercise 5.—Ready position: Fist clenched.

Movement: Work fist slowly backward and forward upon the forearm, grinding the muscles thoroughly.



Fancy makes a little World. That's different from ours, And fills it with some curious forms, And magic halls and towers.

Some of Them Do Have "Wheels." Little Mary, says the New York Times, is a born searcher after information, and Tommy, her brother, is always ready to supply her with it.

Mary was poring over a large book she had seen her father reading the night before. "P-h-l-l-o-s-o-p-h-e-r," she spelled, laboriously. Then, after a moment's inward struggle, she said: "Philosopher. What's that, Tommy?" "Huh!" said Tommy. "I should think you'd know. It's a man who rides a philosophede."

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## The Home

JENNIE LESTER HILL, Editor

### MOTHER'S SPINNING WHEEL.

While I stand on time fast waning,  
Where the shade of life doth steal,  
Comes a sound so very plainly  
Of my mother's spinning wheel.  
How in youth that noise annoy'd me,  
When the day seemed dark and dear;  
But today the same delights me,  
There's no other half so dear.  
Wafted in the air of silence,  
Is the noise that now I love;  
Floating o'er me in the stillness,  
Like a message from above.  
Now I fancy I see mother,  
Spinning as in days gone by;  
And I hear her sing lowly,  
Of that home beyond the sky.  
Yes the hum of mother spinning,  
Echoes down through twenty years,  
Falls upon the present stillness,  
And the thought of home endears.  
How those childhood memories haunt me,  
How my mind inclines to roam,  
When I think of mother spinning,  
In her old-time rustic home.

JOHN G. NEACE,

Booneville, Ky.

### Boiled Rice.

Pick over and wash one cup of rice. Put one heaping teaspoonful of butter in a stewpan and let it melt slowly. Add the rice and let it cook until the butter is absorbed, stir with a fork; then turn in one quart of boiling water and let it simmer until tender. Do not stir it, for the butter will keep it from sticking. If the water is not absorbed when the rice is soft, remove the cover and let it dry off before serving. Add salt to taste, as the butter may not season it sufficiently.—*Christian Work and Evangelist.*

### Homemade Cold Cream.

The ingredients required for this cold cream are a quarter of a pound of pure unsalted lard, a tablespoonful of powdered oatmeal, a few drops of scent, and boiling water. Leave it till it is cold, then pour the water off. In the meantime boil up some more water and pour it over the lard again; let it get cold as before. This process should be repeated six times. Then beat the oatmeal into the lard and add the scent. The cold cream is now ready for use.—*Christian Advocate.*

### Scotch Broth.

One-half-cup of pearl barley, two pounds neck of mutton, two quarts cold water, one-fourth cup each of carrot, turnip, onion and celery chopped in small cubes, two table-

spoonfuls of butter, one table-spoonful of flour, two teaspoonfuls of salt, one saltspoonful of parsley chopped fine.

Pick over and soak the barley in cold water over night; wipe the meat clean with a wet cloth, remove the fat and skin, scrape the meat from the bones and cut into bits the size of dice—about one half inch. Put the bones on to boil in one pint of cold water, and the meat in a separate pot, with three pints of cold water; let the latter cook quickly; skim just as it begins to boil; add the barley, skim again as the white scum rises. Fry the chopped vegetables in the hot butter five minutes; drain, add to the meat, simmer three hours; strain the water in which the bones have simmered, put in the strained butter left from frying the vegetables, the flour, and when smooth add the strained liquid from the broth, add the salt, pepper and parsley, simmer ten minutes.

As this broth is served without straining it is always well to boil the bones separately.—*Presbyterian Banner.*

## The School

JOHN WIRT DINSMORE, Editor

### A Study of the "Shepherd Psalm."

For the class in advanced pedagogy. Topic: *How to Study.*

1. Who is meant by the "Lord"? Why should David call the Lord his shepherd? What is the meaning of "want," and what would he not want?  
2. What is the significance of "He maketh me to lie down in green pastures," and why say "lie down" rather than "he causeth me to feed in green pastures"? What is meant by "still waters"? What mental picture do you get from the whole expression "He leadeth me beside the still waters"?

3. Could one whose soul had not at some time been "sick unto death" utter the thought "He restoreth my soul"? Can you recall any such experience in the life of David? Any in your own life? Is there anything analogous in the care of the Shepherd for His sheep? "He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake." Is this leading done by the divinity within us or by some outside person? Compare the passage with the petition in the Lord's Prayer, "Lead us not into temptation." What is meant by "for His name's sake"?

4. What is the force of "yea"? Substitute "if" or "when" and note the difference. What is meant by the "shadow of death," and what by the "valley of the shadow"? "I will fear no evil"; what evil? What is meant "rod" and "staff," and how do they "comfort me"?

5. "Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies." What is the figurative meaning of the expression, and what application can you make of it? What effect upon the "enemies"? Does anointing the head with oil refer to the rite of anointing for the priesthood or for kingship, or does it have some other meaning? What does "cup" stand for?

6. What trustfulness is expressed in this verse? Compare the last clause with John 14: 2, "In my Father's house are many mansions." Is the idea of the Shepherd and the sheep carried out in paragraphs 5 and 6? What is the prevailing spirit of the psalm? Carefully test every statement in it by applying it to your own life, and make mental notes of the result.

### Have You Wood for Sale?

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**Necessity of Control of Rate-Making by Railways**  
By **GOV. ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE,**  
Of Wisconsin.



As a mere carrier of the products of others, the railroads have no right to show favoritism to individuals, or to discriminate between places. Its business is transportation. It has not been vested with authority to ordain that one shipper or city shall grow rich and great at the expense of another. It is preposterous that the corporation, which is merely a carrier, not the producer or the consumer of the product carried, should be permitted to stand in relation to that product, as though its interests were the sole interests to be considered. The railway company has important interests in the regulation of its service to the public. These interests must be fully and fairly weighed in regulating that service. But its interests are not higher than those of the producers and those of the consumers. The fact that the carrier has interests to serve unfits it to be the sole and final judge as to the efficiency, the value or the impartiality of its services to the public. It is entitled to be heard. The producer and consumer are likewise to be heard, and it is the duty of the state to determine impartially the rights of all, with due regard to the interests of all.

It is unreasonable and unjust and intolerable that the carrier should be empowered so to arrange its schedule of rates as to force produce and merchandise and manufactured products to the market which it chooses to build up.

Commerce and transportation are vital to organized society. They constitute a public service, and are essentially subject to control by the state.

The supreme court of Wisconsin, with one of the ablest, most invincible arguments in the history of jurisprudence, settled for all time all controversy as to the inherent right of the people.

It is well also to recall right here the words of that great lawyer and jurist, Mr. Justice Bradley, who, in speaking of the right and duty to control railways, said: "But a superintending power over the highways and the charges imposed upon the public for their use, have always remained in the government. This is not only its indefeasible right, but it is necessary for the protection of the people against extortion and abuse."

Possessing this superintending power, it becomes the duty of the state to exercise it broadly for the protection of the interest of all its people, not only from unreasonable charges and extortion, but from other abuses equally far-reaching in consequences and no less unjust. The industrial and commercial life of every community, the comfort of every home, is vitally dependent upon facilities of transportation, and wherever the state has given a railway corporation chartered rights to acquire land, establish and operate a road, there rests an obligation on the state, to see to it that the citizens and communities interested are given, in light of all the circumstances, a reasonably efficient and impartial service.

**The Modern Herods of Trade**  
By **BISHOP SAMUEL FALLOWS,**  
Chicago.

We can thus personify impure air, impure milk, impure water and the noxious sewer gases as the modern Herods of our civilization. Along with them are impure foods and medicines. These Herods are almost countless in number. A test was recently made in the case of an important medicine, and it was found that 315 out of 373 druggists in New York city were selling a substitute or an adulterated drug in its place.

The special agent of the department of agriculture at Washington states that the adulteration of food practiced means an annual stealing from the people of at least \$1,125,000,000. The consequent loss or deterioration of life, especially of children, cannot be estimated.

The adulterations of medicines are still worse than that of foods in their pernicious effects, both upon the child and adult nature.

There are Herods among us who are sending out their executioners to take the moral and spiritual life of our children. Their work is in the windows of news dealers, in the prints which are exposed for sale, in the flashing pictures and posters of low theaters, and in the literature full of all the demoralizing crimes and vices of depraved beings.

One of the brightest lads in our Illinois state reformatory was before its board of managers last week for parole consideration! "What brought you here?" was asked. He said: "The five-cent and ten-cent story papers of boy and men bandits."

Another Herod, not known when the Herod of the text lived to curse the world, is the deadly cigarette. Loaded with its pleasant poison, it loosens the muscles, weakens the nerves, clogs the brain, dulls the eye, emasculates the nascent manhood and dims and destroys the moral sense. There are nearly 1,100 boys in the state reformatory to-day, and a large majority of them were inveterate cigarette smokers before committal.

**Jews Immune from Consumption**  
By **DR. ARNOLD C. KLEBS,**  
Chicago.

Moses was one of the great hygienic law-givers of history. The Jews have been singularly immune from consumption. I ascribe this to the fact that the Jews commenced living their lives in houses before other races. Consumption is a house disease and the laws of Moses were adapted for house living.

The laws of Moses prescribe bathing, ablutions and the washing of hands before eating. The Jews who have strictly followed the precepts of Moses have not been scourged by tuberculosis and it is only of late that the Jews have suffered much from the disease.

The Indians, for exactly the opposite reason, are immune. They did not live in houses and not until the advent of the white man was consumption ever known to them.

Now that they have adopted some of the habits of the white man and retain habits that are not suited to living in houses they are being wasted by the disease.

We are all house-dwellers. Our lives are passed necessarily in houses; in them we do our work. Our problem is how to live properly in houses and to prevent the disease.

**FIRE IN INDIANAPOLIS.**  
Property Destroyed to the Amount of \$1,100,000 in Wholesale District.  
Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 20.—For four hours the wholesale district, bounded by Georgia and Meridian streets, Jackson place and the Union depot sheds, were menaced by a fire which started in the wholesale warehouses of the Fahney & McCrea Millinery Co.

At 9:30 o'clock three general alarms brought into action every department in the city and suburbs. When the fire was brought under control eight buildings, among which were three hotels, had been completely destroyed, causing a loss estimated at \$1,100,000.

The following are the principal losses as estimated by a prominent insurance man: Fahney & McCrea, building, \$125,000; loss on stock, \$260,000; insurance, \$290,000. A. Kiefer Drug Co., building, \$70,000; stock, \$225,000; insurance, \$245,000. Griffiths Bros., building, \$50,000; stock, \$150,000; insurance, \$160,000. E. C. Dolmetsch Co. building, \$50,000; stock, \$40,000; insurance, \$65,000. Sherman house, building, \$45,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$35,000. Savoy hotel, building, \$20,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$15,000. St. Charles hotel, building, \$12,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$11,000. Muir Millinery Co., building, \$5,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$13,000. Total loss, \$1,100,000.

**GEN. STOESSEL.**  
Lieut. Below Characterizes Him As a Coward.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 20.—Aboard the steamer Tartar, which arrived here, were Lieuts. Below and Bondy, officers of the Russian cruiser Sevastopol, captured at the fall of Port Arthur. They were released by the Japanese after giving their parole. The captain of the Sevastopol and a number of other prisoners recently released are expected to reach San Francisco shortly. Lieut. Below characterizes Gen. Stoessel as a coward. "The world will know Stoessel as he is," said Below. "He is a coward. Stoessel was burrowed a great deal of the time in a cave. The real heroine was Madame Zouhonnell, who, when her husband was killed, took command of a battery of three 11-inch guns at a point commanding the water supply and held them until she was also killed."

St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—According to a dispatch from Mukden, special reports have been received at that place stating the surrender of Port Arthur occurred against the wishes of most officers of the garrison.

**THE DYING CONGRESS.**  
Effort to Be Made to Consider the Statehood Bill in Conference.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The senate this week will consider the motion to appoint conferences on the joint statehood bill. The general understanding is that this action will prevail and that the bill will go to conference. In case the committee recedes from the important senate amendments a sharp contest probably will ensue.

Nothing but absolutely necessary legislation is the order in the house for the week. This legislation so far as can be indicated in advance will consist of the completion of the naval appropriation bill on Monday and consideration of the river and harbor and sundry civil appropriation bills, a program which will occupy the week.

The statehood bill is to be considered in conference, but there is nothing to indicate that an agreement will be reached before the session is in its last moments.

The public buildings bill is to be a matter of contest between the committee on rules and those members of the house who are enthusiastic in its support.

**THOMAS W. LAWSON.**  
Senator Fisher Received a Telegram From the Financier.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 20.—A telegram received by Senator Fisher, member of the legislative committee investigating the Standard Oil corruption charges contained in the Elliott letter, from Thomas W. Lawson, Boston, states: "I would do anything possible to wipe 'Standard Oil' and the 'system' from the face of the earth. The people of West Virginia, as elsewhere, can depend upon me now or any time to do any and everything in my power to free them from the devilish oppression of these things."

The committee of which Fisher is a member has finished taking evidence but has not yet made its report.

**Mrs. Chadwick's Wealth.**  
Cleveland, O., Feb. 20.—Collector of Customs Leach has so minutely traced the operations of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick during the last four years that he is in a position to know that she has saved from her many financial transactions \$1,000,000 in cash and \$150,000 in jewels.

**House Conducted Memorial Services.**  
Washington, Feb. 20.—Sitting in special session, the house of representatives conducted memorial services in tribute to the memory of the late Senator Matthew Stanley Quay, of Pennsylvania. Mr. Danzell presided.

**To Teach Hygiene and Temperance.**  
Mexico City, Feb. 20.—The women members of the Anti-Alcoholic League are contemplating visits to workshops and large factories for the purpose of instructing operatives in matters of hygiene and temperance.

**Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes**  
Sunday School Lesson for Feb. 26, 1905  
Prepared by the "Highway and Byway" Preacher.

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**LESSON TEXT.**—John 6:1-14; Memory verses, 11, 12. Read the entire chapter. **GOLDEN TEXT.**—"I am the Living Bread which came down from Heaven." John 6:51.

**TIME.**—Nearly a year has elapsed since our last lesson. It was just before the passover, April, A. D. 30.

**PLACE.**—A Region on the northeast shore of the Sea of Galilee, not very far from Bethsaida.

**A REMINDER.**—Had this miracle and the discourse following been left out by John, how much would have been missed of evidence that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God. It was impossible to study prayerfully this portion of John's Gospel and not be led to believe in Jesus as the Son of God. For this reason, keep John 20:31 specially before you in considering this lesson.

**The Lesson Outline.**

- THEME.—The Hungry Fed.
- I.—Into the Wilderness With Jesus, vs. 1-4.
- II.—The Hungry Multitude, vs. 5-9.
- (1) Jesus' Plans, vs. 5 & 6.
- (2) The Disciples Troubled, vs. 7-9.
- III.—The Multitude Fed, vs. 10-13.
- (1) Orderly Procedure, v. 10.
- (2) Loaves and Fishes Blessed, v. 11.
- (3) Loaves and Fishes Distributed, v. 12.
- (4) The Fragments Gathered, vs. 12, 13.
- IV.—The Multitude Impressed, v. 14.

**Comparing Scripture with Scripture.**

1. Into the Wilderness With Jesus, vs. 1-4. The disciples went there with Jesus for rest and quiet conference. The multitude followed through curiosity. But whatever the motive which brought them they all received a blessing. Jesus never turns a soul empty away. The desert is often the place of peculiar blessing. Human need is more apparent there. Divine power is more manifest.

II. The Hungry Multitude. (1) Jesus' Plans, vs. 5, 6.—Jesus was the first to sight the on-coming multitude. Jesus sees us when a great way off. He knows the motive that brings us. But He always has plans for us. He knows just how to deal with each individual case.

(2) The Disciples Troubled, v. 7.—Matthew (14:15) tells us that the disciples wanted to send the multitudes away and let them shift for themselves. Ah, at best, how limited is our vision; how small our faith. In our Christian work, how many blessings we lose to the multitude because we do not realize Jesus' power and His willingness to supply the need. Matt. 10:8. The little lad ready to yield his small supply to Jesus, is a text and a sermon all by himself. He counted little in the eyes of the disciples, but he went into partnerships with Jesus and his little became a feast to satisfy the multitude. So it may be with us. Our gifts, our abilities may seem small, we may have grave misgivings as to their being equal to the task of ministering successfully to the multitudes about us, but if we will but put into the hands of Jesus our little we will have the joy of seeing it multiply under His touch until it has performed its most blessed ministry to all about. Our little in Jesus' hands is always sufficient.

III. The Multitude Fed. (1) Orderly Procedure, v. 10.—It has been said that "order is God's first law." That motley multitude must be subdued and arranged in orderly manner. Paul's admonition (1 Cor. 14:40) has striking illustration here.

(2) Loaves and Fishes Blessed, v. 11.—"Jesus took the loaves; and when He had given thanks," Took and blessed—a twofold act on the part of Jesus that brings amazing results. Just common barley crackers and small salt fish, and yet they fed the multitude as they passed through Jesus' hands. Just a life given in consecration into Jesus' hands to receive His blessing and behold the results. A Peter, a Paul, a Luther, a John Knox, a Finney, a Moody. He will take you and me and use us to the blessing of the multitude. John 14:12.

(3) Loaves and Fishes Distributed, v. 12.—"He distributed to the disciples and the disciples to them that were set down." The Divine order, always. From the Master's hand to ours and then to the multitude. We cannot give to the blessing of others until we have received from His hands. How the knowledge of this ought to bring us to reconsecrate ourselves to Him.

(4) The Fragments Gathered, vs. 12, 13.—"They were filled." Did ever soul sit down at table with Jesus spread without being filled? Ps. 23:1; Phil. 4:19. But that Jesus' bounty might not teach wastefulness He commands: "Gather up the fragments." This is an example in economy which we all have need to remember. Twelve baskets full remaining gave each of the disciples a supply to carry away. What a striking illustration of Prov. 11:24; and Luke 6:28.

IV. The Multitude Impressed, v. 14.—Who else but God could create food for the body? The multitude was willing to admit Jesus' claims of Divinity. And the following verses show how they planned to make Him their king. But with what motives! They desired Him because they had eaten of the loaves and were filled, v. 26. He wanted them to desire the bread of life, v. 27. How sad that men should be satisfied with the bread which perishes when Jesus would feed them on the living bread.

**The Golden Text.**  
"I am the Living Bread which came down from Heaven." This declaration of Jesus commands our attention, because God has said that "Man shall not live by bread alone." When Jesus called Himself the "Living Bread," it was to announce the relations which He was to sustain to the soul. As a body was fed by bread, so He, the Living Bread, was to feed the soul, Living Bread to satisfy soul hunger, therefore, "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness, for they shall be filled." "Lord, evermore give us this Bread."

**TEMPERANCE**  
ALWAYS A PERIL.

**What One Doctor Has to Say in Regard to the Evils of Alcohol.**

We are sometimes told that it is only drinking to excess that can do any damage to the human constitution, and that moderate drinking—that is, the drinking of a physiological quantity of alcohol—can do no harm at all. It is a somewhat curious fact that, although this physiological limit is exceedingly low, there still remains great diversity of opinion amongst medical observers as to the exact quantity that may be taken with impunity, or may be utilized by the body. Some authorities give one and one-half ounces per diem of absolute alcohol freely diluted as the maximum amount which may safely be taken; others place the physiological limit at one ounce, whilst others again place it at half this quantity. One thing we may notice, and that is that the dose is gradually diminishing in quantity; and where doctors differ we are certainly justified in taking the smallest quantity as the one beyond which it is unsafe for people to go, whilst we are assured that even this modicum in specially susceptible individuals may be avoided with advantage. May we not, as individuals endowed with a certain amount of common sense, ask ourselves: Is the game worth the candle? Whenever alcohol is used it appears to compel us to use up some reserve of health, to draw on our margin of health, and on the store of energy laid up in the various organs of the body. We may be able to meet the drafts so made for a long time, and in healthy individuals and under ordinary circumstances the balance of the bank of health and strength is not completely depleted; but in disease and under extra exertion there may come a time, and this frequently happens, when, if the balance has been drawn on at all freely, it is insufficient to meet the extra demands, and the patient succumbs because his reserve, already too low, is not equal to such demands made upon it.—Dr. German Sims Woodhead.

**AN EASTERN FABLE.**  
Modern Application of the Story of Sindbad and the Old Man of the Sea.

I. In the "Arabian Nights" are found the adventures of Sindbad the Sailor. Among them is his encounter with The Old Man of the Sea. This individual, by strategy, succeeded in inducing Sindbad to carry him upon his shoulders.



When Sindbad wished to be rid of him, he refused to dismount and choked Sindbad into submission. The latter was compelled not only to carry his treacherous master, but to take insults and ill-usage, as well.

**REFORM NOTES.**  
In 1903 we consumed 1,605,851,455 gallons of liquor and 168,574,905 pounds of tea. Eleven million gallons less liquor was made in this country last year than during 1903. Still, there is plenty left to drown the man who drowns it.—Topeka Herald.  
The Manitoba Sunday School association has entered upon the pledge signing crusade, and has prepared cards, single and double, also honor rolls, for the insertion of names of all who are pledged.  
The Minnesota Total Abstinence society is growing at a very encouraging rate, the increase for the past year being 1,133, making the total membership 6,730. The growth enjoyed by this organization is due chiefly to the exceptionally skillful and energetic efforts of its secretary, Gustav Elde.  
The bibulous habits of the British people are undergoing a marked change so far as spirits, wine and beer are concerned. Less wine was drunk in the United Kingdom in 1903 than for a decade. British newspapers state that the falling off in the consumption of the drinks named is due entirely to the impoverishment produced by the South African war.

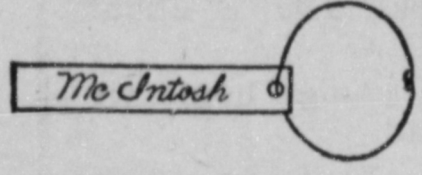
**Explanation Needed.**  
Rear Admiral Parker indorsed the navy system of no-canteen so emphatically that the army officers are again confronted with the need for explaining why the military establishment on land needs something that the military establishment on sea can get along without so freely.—American Union.



DURABLE TREE LABELS.

Only Such As Will Withstand the Elements Should Be Used.

Every tree or shrub when set out should be properly labeled so that in after years the name will be known. Wooden labels fastened on with copper or steel wire are worse than useless. Unless watched carefully the twig around which they are fastened will



LABELS OF ZINC OR COPPER.

eventually grow into the wire and be cut off. Many trees are lost in this way. The name becomes worn off by the weather in a few months.

A copper or zinc label, properly put on will last for years, says Farm and Home. Strips of zinc three inches long and one-half inch wide have a hole punched in one end through which run a copper wire six inches long. Fasten this wire around a small limb and write on the zinc with a lead pencil. This label will last for years. Copper labels may be made like those shown in the illustration. Cut strips of copper six inches long and one-half inch wide at the broad end, tapering to a point. With a set of steel letters stamp the name on this. Wrap loosely around a small twig.

DISEASE OF LETTUCE.

Plants in the South Being Attacked by a Peculiar Disease Known as "Damping-Off."

Much lettuce in the south and under glass in northern states is suffering from a peculiar disease known as "damping off." In the Carolinas and Florida it is particularly bad this winter. One correspondent from Florida says the Ohio Farmer reports that 25 per cent. of his crop is affected, while others have lost their entire planting. Our present knowledge of methods for treating this disease in field, cold frame or hothouse culture is very unsatisfactory. The latest information, by Dr. A. F. Wood, chief of the division of pathology, United States department of agriculture, is given below.

The damping-off or rot of lettuce is very hard to control. We can only recommend that you take all possible precautions to stop the spreading of the disease, which is only accomplished by the direct growth of the fungus through the soil and by means of bits of the fungus carried on plows or cultivators, or by the feet of men from one part of the field to another. Remove all diseased plants in the early stages of the trouble, together with the surface soil underneath them. These plants and the earth around them should be carried from the field and burned.

When lettuce is grown in cold frames or greenhouses, the return of the disease can be effectually prevented by sterilizing the soil, which is usually accomplished by means of live steam taken from a high-pressure boiler. Unless some similar method can be adopted to field culture, the only means that can be employed to prevent a recurrence of the disease in the next crop is to use fresh land not previously planted to lettuce and to take much care that the seed-bed is free from the trouble, as well as to avoid infection from old fields. The disease requires for its study, especially with respect to practical methods of control.

FACTS FOR DAIRYMEN.

English imports of butter have doubled in 13 years, and are now valued at about \$100,000,000 a year.

In order to secure all of the cream, milk must be kept sweet for 12 hours with the temperature as low as 50 degrees unless a separator is used.—American Dairyman.

Cornell university is to have a new dairy building. In planning for this building, Prof. Pearson has visited the best dairy buildings in the country. It runs a cow for dairy purposes to have one person milk her to-day and another to-morrow, and the rapid changes in the help soon make the business unprofitable.

Every man who has given any thought to the subject knows that old-time methods will not apply to modern conditions. Every dairyman should keep this constantly in mind.

Grazing in Forests.

Grazing in forests is receiving the attention of the experts in forestry matters. Great damage has been done to the forests by stockmen driving their cattle into the forests during the hottest time of summer. The underbrush is browsed off and the soft ground tramped so that it does not permit the air to get through the soil to the roots of the trees. The spongy soil that is found in the forests is necessary to the well-being of many kinds of trees. It is expected that the government will take measures to lessen the losses from the cause named.—Farmers Review.

Record-Breaking Cattle Season. Reports from the ranches of South Dakota say that the season has been one of the best in the history of western South Dakota cattle raising. There has been an abundance of water and the grass has in consequence been unusually good.

HORTICULTURE AS BUSINESS

For the Winning of Success It Must Be Taken Up Seriously and Studiously.

Would-be fruit growers, according to a recent writer on horticulture as a business, are in constant danger of going wrong in the efforts by following the advice of theorists, of men who make of horticulture a pastime. These men "break into our papers with wonderful theories and startling results of so-called careful experiments, all of which are valueless and misleading." In this connection the student of horticulture who is wise is advised to look for the credentials of a writer on this subject, just as he would look first, before reading, at the author's name on the title page of a book, and form his judgment and base his credence on what he knew or could find out about this author.

In this article of protest, says the Prairie Farmer, the author says that "there is perhaps no other business, unless it is the practice of medicine, in which there is so much room for rank guessing." Yet it is every day more manifest that horticulture is a business and one that can be managed with as great precision, certainty and success as any other. There are now a very large number of men in the country who make a success of it, that is, a financial success in this business of fruit growing.

Until recently horticulture as a profession has been looked upon with some contempt by farmers whose labors are of a more back-breaking and hand-hardening sort. Though thousands of farmers have raised a little fruit as a side issue, yet their care of fruit tree and plant has usually been mostly of a haphazard sort. They have seemed to consider fruit as an accidental product of nature's bounty, not as something produced and perfected by man's care and attention.

But horticulture is coming to be one of the greatest industries in some of our states, and as such has attracted and is attracting many who aspire to success as fruit growers. Some of these have already tried and failed, partly because they have not followed reliable guides. Of course, too, in some cases they have not patiently awaited results after doing what wise guides directed. The writer mentioned thinks that there is a great field open to the horticulturist, and anyone who reads the statistics showing the increased yearly consumption of fruit in our country must see that this is so. But he avers, this business is one that, like any other, must be mastered in all its intricacies if success is to be won. "If a man masters his business he must study the laws of nature as governing soil conditions, effect of atmospheric changes, plant life, insect life, processes of growth and ripening, fertilization both of bloom and soil, and when he has covered all these fields of knowledge he is just where the merchant is when he starts in—he has still all the problems of market which the merchant has. He must know what to produce and where and how to dispose of his production."

The fact seems to be that it success is to be won in horticulture a man must take it up seriously. He must not be led away by any sentiment he has for nature, and he must not be satisfied with anything less than practical results. The fascinations of fruit growing are real, but they are likely to receive most attention from those who pay least attention to the sober facts of the business, and these are but blind and extravagant guides to follow.

A RIDABLE BULL.

Remarkable Animal Which Is Owned by a Stockman of Kingstone, Derby, England.

Not everyone would care to ride on a bull's bare back. In fact, there are few who relish standing within six feet of one—except from the opposite side of a gate or fence.

Yet Mr. Walter Beeby, of Kingstone, Derby, treats his bull as if it were a



THE BULL AND HIS RIDER.

horse, riding on it about his farm, apparently unconscious that he is doing anything out of the way.

The idea of doing this occurred to him some little time ago. Seeing his stockman exercising the bull up and down the farmyard, Mr. Beeby attached a light rein to the bull's nose ring, and vaulted on to his back. To his surprise, Master Taurus did not in the least protest. Since then his master has ridden him all over the farm, guiding him by the rein with the most perfect ease. The bull is freer from vice than many horses. It gallops or walks to its master's will, and even when passing those of its own kind shows no inclination of becoming unmanageable.

When the cows are allowed to have their calves run with them they should be striped twice a day to keep up their milking qualities.

ROMANCE IN THIS WEDDING

Similarity of Names Brings Texas Minister and Philadelphia Girl Together—Marriage Follows.

Philadelphia. — An acquaintance formed as a result of a chance reference to the similarity of names culminated in the marriage of Rev. William H. Claggett, a Presbyterian clergyman of McKinney, Tex., and Miss Jennie Claggett, of this city.

Mr. Claggett is the founder of the Texas Presbyterian university at McKinney, and is president of the board of trustees. To Miss Claggett he has been known all his life, through his writings and work.

To him she was an entire stranger until about a year ago.

The clergyman visited this city in November, 1902, on matters connected with the university. In the January following he was asked to conduct a series of evangelistic meetings arranged by the Cohocksink and Temple Presbyterian churches. Miss Claggett is a member of the Temple church, and her uncle, Augustus Claggett, with whom she resides, is an elder of the same church. With the thought that a relationship might exist between the two men it was suggested to the clergyman that he visit Mr. Claggett. As a result of that visit he was invited to make his home with the family while his work kept him here. When he returned to McKinney about six weeks ago it was with the promise that Miss Claggett would become his wife.

Mr. Claggett is a widower and Miss Claggett is many years his junior.

CHECKS CHICKEN STEALING

Recent Act of Kentucky Legislature Gives Henroost Raiders the Scare of Their Lives.

Louisville, Ky.—"Chicken stealing as a regular avocation has practically been abandoned in Louisville," said Lieut. O'Brien of the Fourth police district, "thanks to a recent act of the legislature making the offense punishable with a penitentiary term, and as a result several hundred negroes and a few white men have been knocked out of an easy way of making a living."

Strange as it may seem, until a year ago it was almost impossible to raise chickens in Louisville with any degree of success on account of the activity of thieves, who made an easy living by raiding the hen roosts of the city. Scarcely a day passed when as few as a dozen chickens were stolen, and several negroes were known to the police as having no other trade. The chickens brought good sums, and many of the coop-raisers went so far as to dress the fowls before taking them to market.

Until the last session of the legislature, chicken stealing was only punishable with a fine or workhouse sentence, but the newly enacted law made the crime a felony and imposed a penitentiary term. This act broke up the band of chicken thieves, and as a result not a half dozen reports of chicken stealing have been made to the police during the past three months. As a result of the law, a large number of the thieves were sent to the penitentiary.

Where the "Good Die Old."

According to the records of the town clerk's office at Castleton, Vt., there were during the year 1901 12 marriages recorded, 39 births, and 38 deaths. The town has a population of 2,089. Of the deaths the average age of nine was 85 years and 8 months. The town has been frequently referred to as a place where the "old die good, and the good die old." Patrick Dunn, the oldest one who died, was over 90 years.

MARKET REPORT.

Cincinnati, Feb. 18.			
CATTLE—Common	\$2 75	@	4 00
Heavy steers	4 85	@	5 25
CALVES—Extra	5 10	@	7 50
HOGS—Ch. packers	5 10	@	5 15
Mixed packers	4 95	@	5 05
SHEEP—Extra	5 30	@	5 40
LAMBS—Extra	6 75	@	7 75
FLOUR—Spring pat.	6 20	@	6 45
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 18	@	1 20
No. 3 winter	1 09	@	1 09
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	47 1/2	@	47 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	33 1/2	@	33 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	33	@	33 1/2
RYE—No. 2	84	@	87
HAY—Ch. timothy	12 50	@	12 50
PORK—Clear mess.	14 10	@	14 10
LARD—Steam	6 87 1/2	@	6 87 1/2
BUTTER—Ch. dairy.	20	@	20
Choice creamery	34	@	34
APPLES—Choice	2 75	@	3 25
POTATOES—Per bbl	1 50	@	1 60
TOBACCO—New	5 00	@	13 00
Old	4 50	@	14 75
Chicago.			
FLOUR—Winter pat.	5 10	@	5 20
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 20	@	1 23 1/2
No. 3 red	1 08	@	1 18
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	44 1/2	@	44 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	30 3/4	@	31
RYE—No. 2	76 1/2	@	76 1/2
PORK—Mess	12 65	@	12 70
LARD—Steam	6 72 1/2	@	6 75
New York.			
FLOUR—Win. str's.	5 50	@	5 85
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 24	@	1 24
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	44	@	44
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	37	@	38
RYE—Western	80	@	80
PORK—Family	14 50	@	15 00
LARD—Steam	6 70	@	6 70
Baltimore.			
CATTLE—Steers	3 50	@	4 50
SHEEP—No. 1 fat	3 25	@	3 75
LAMBS—Spring	5 50	@	6 50
CALVES—Choice	8 75	@	9 00
HOGS—Dressed	6 50	@	6 75
Louisville.			
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 17	@	1 17
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	47	@	47
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	34	@	34
PORK—Mess	11 00	@	11 00
LARD—Pure steam	6 50	@	6 50
Indianapolis.			
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 18	@	1 18
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	45	@	45
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	33	@	33

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Going North.	Train 4, Daily
Leave Berea.....	3:48 a. m.
Arrive Richmond.....	4:12 a. m.
Arrive Paris.....	5:28 a. m.
Arrive Cincinnati.....	7:50 a. m.
Going South.	Train 6, Daily
Leave Berea.....	12:55 p. m.
Arrive Richmond.....	1:25 p. m.
Arrive Paris.....	3:18 p. m.
Arrive Cincinnati.....	6:00 p. m.
Going North.	Train 1, Daily
Leave Berea.....	1:11 p. m.
Arrive Livingston.....	2:05 p. m.
Going South.	Train 5, Daily
Leave Berea.....	11:24 p. m.
Arrive Livingston.....	12:30 a. m.

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## Berea and Vicinity.

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Mr. Ulysses Moyers has a severe attack of grip.

The new Hose House has received a coat of paint.

Mr. W. D. Logsdon was in Richmond Saturday.

The Berea Public School will open the first Monday in March.

Miss Emma Johnson, of Paintsville, entered school to-day.

The Orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for the Debate.

Miss Stella Adams, of Wildie, is visiting Mrs. W. H. Bower this week.

The galvanized cornice work is being put on the Library and Chapel.

Mr. Green Wilson, sheriff of Owsley county, passed through town Wednesday.

Mrs. S. E. Welch, Jr., returned Sunday from her winter visit to Leesburg, Fla.

Messrs. C. L. Hanson and W. H. Porter were in Richmond on business Tuesday.

Mr. Chas. Click and Master Lloyd Click, of Kerby Knob, were Berea visitors this week.

Mr. S. B. Combs has about completed his new one and a half story house on Center street.

H. C. Combs returned Friday from Owsley county, where he has been for some time on business.

Mr. M. J. Gabbard, who left us last March for Illinois, came in Thursday morning for an extended visit. He spent the first month or two in Tuscola and for the remainder of the time has worked in Indianapolis. He returns in the best of health.

We are glad to have Dr. and Mrs. Rogers in our midst once more looking so well. Father Rogers spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Richmond this week.

Mr. C. C. Rhodus has begun painting his lately erected store and hotel. The outside finish is an imitation stone tin. This will be painted a stone color, with joints penciled in white.

Mr. T. J. Osborne is confined to his bed with a severe case of grip. A bad cold, headache, soreness of body, etc., usually attending this prevalent disease, are the symptoms present.

Clayton Townsend arrived in Berea Tuesday noon from Radical. During the past six months he has been teaching a school at St. Helens, Lee county. He will be in town for several days.

Richard Short, aged thirty-five years, died of tuberculosis Monday. His funeral was held at the house Tuesday at 2 p. m. His body was laid away in the private cemetery on the Bales farm.

Rev. W. H. Baker, '85, after a pastorate of seven years at Springfield, Ohio, has accepted a call to the Rootstown (Ohio) Congregational church. At the time of his letter to us he was "just moving" there.

We are very sorry to note the breaking out of typhoid fever in our midst at this time of the year. The youngest son of Dr. Switzer was taken with the disease last Thursday. His will be a light case it is thought. This morning Eugene Thomson was taken to the Hospital, the fever hav-

ing been pronounced typhoid. It is expected that this will be a light case, although not far enough along as yet to tell definitely.

Miss J. A. Robinson and Miss Welsh were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Flanery Wednesday night. The occasion was the reunion of the "Argonauts," the name given to this company while on a mountain trip last fall.

The Y.W.C.A. held their annual social and business meeting in the east parlor of Ladies Hall at 3 p. m. last Saturday. The election of officers, the hearing of reports, suggestions as to next year's work and a social time made up the program.

Times change, likewise the condition of the street crossings. Whereas last week we were walking, or rather sitting down, in slippery places, this week we are in danger of losing our identity in a seemingly bottomless mud puddle. But the "winter will soon be over children."

The meetings at the Second Church closed Tuesday night. The attendance throughout was good notwithstanding the muddy condition of the streets and the unfavorable weather. Mr. Stewart's presentation of the Gospel was plain and forceful, and both delighted and helped his hearers. There were nine additions to the church. Mr. Stewart returned to his home Tuesday night.

The last number of the Lyceum Course was given under difficulties. After a postponement of the original date, and two substitutions, an attendance not quite up to the average met in the Tabernacle Saturday night to hear Miss Jeanette Kling read, "Holofernes Death" and "Queen Ann of the Wilderness" were two dramatic selections well rendered. Some thought that her comic readings, especially the one, "Scene in a Chicago Park" and "Irish Gossips," were the best. Certainly it must be said that Miss Kling labored under the disadvantage of being considered a substitute by many in the audience. We are glad to say that in our opinion the entertainment was fully up to the standard.

A full line of white waists at C. L. Hanson's.

## One Hundred Oranges.

Additional interest has been created in the Annual Debate to be held to-morrow night because of the announcement of Mr. C. C. Rhodus, proprietor of the New Cash Store, of a gift of one hundred oranges to the winners. Knowing the banqueting proclivities of the average college student, he has given a very practical gift; and when the battle's ended the juicy orange will be passed around. But to whom, Alpha Zeta or Phi Delta? "May the best man win," says Mr. Rhodus.

Pretty Mohair Suitings from 30c to \$1.50 at C. L. Hanson's.

## Washington's Birthday.

The address given yesterday in the Tabernacle by Hon. F. B. Willis, of Ada, Ohio, was notable. His appearance on the platform showed us a man of gigantic physical proportions. Ere long his person, his voice, his topic, and his thoughts were seen to be gauged on the same massive scale. The introduction contained an appreciative estimate of schools like Berea, designed for the humble and poor. He spoke of Washington as being great, not chiefly as general, constructive statesman, or President, but as a man. He paid a glowing tribute to the exalted virtues of McKinley and Lincoln, emphasizing especially the former's chivalric devotion to his invalid wife, and the latter's God-ordained mission in behalf of freedom. A reference to Christ, as the inspirer of all noblest ideals, furnished a fitting peroration. The audience was responsive and enthusiastic.

## A NEW DEPOT.

Chief Carpenter James Payne estimates that it will cost \$4,000.

Tuesday a car crew of carpenters began work on the destruction of the old depot. Twenty feet enlargement of the north end will be made, which will give larger waiting and office rooms. A 12 x 18 ft. annex will be used as a baggage room. There will be gables both front and back. All outside doors will be of glass. The whole building will be raised two feet. All the inside woodwork will be of southern pine, varnished. Proper heating facilities will insure better service for the public in the waiting room. The platform in front will be renewed. About three months ago a new signal service of the latest pattern was installed. The work is under the charge of Mr. James Payne, chief house carpenter on K.C. division, and his crew comprises 12 men. He puts the completion of the work at about four weeks. In his opinion, which by the way ought to be a very good one, as he has had to do with every depot of this division, the building will be the best between Livingston and Cincinnati. \$4,000 is the estimated cost. While the work of building is going on, the old baggage room will be utilized for a ticket office.

## Afternoon of Washington's Birthday.

There were five socials held in the afternoon of Washington's Birthday. The largest in point of interest was at Ladies' Hall given by the College, Academy and Applied Science from 3 to 5 p. m. Besides the members of the above departments a few invited guests were present. The feature of the occasion was the Oldtime Reception. Powdered wigs, knee pants, buckles and ruffles produced some very creditable imitations of the following ancient celebrities: Gen. and Mrs. Washington (Prof. Dodge and Miss Robinson); Vice-President and Mrs. John Adams (Dr. Hubbell and Miss Welsh); Col. and Mrs. Alexander Hamilton (Prof. Rumold and Miss Corwin); Thos. Jefferson (Prof. Weaver); John Hancock (Prof. Marsh). Light refreshments, vocal music and a reading from her own writings by Mrs. J. A. R. Rogers rounded out an enjoyable time.

The Model Schools were divided into three companies. The eighth grade was held in the Horticultural lecture room, where a program of games and music was enjoyed by all present. Refreshments were served. The seventh grade, in charge of Misses Hendricks and Bearing was held in the Sewing and Cooking rooms of Industrial Building. Peanut and clothes pin races, mountain ballad singing, and flinch, flavored with oranges and candy, made the afternoon pass all too quickly. The A B and C Intermediate were well entertained at the Tabernacle by Misses Raymond and Haagen. A peanut hunt created lots of excitement and fun. Naturally the refreshments played an important part in the afternoon's enjoyment.

The Normals carried out a unique program at their social in Phi Delta hall. Extemporaneous speeches by persons representing the various letters in the name "Washington" were interesting, to say the least. A prize was offered for the best production. Mr. Cope was declared victor. A recitation by Robert Spence, an original poem, entitled "Berea," by Prof. Dinsmore, and instrumental music by Mr. Taylor combined to make the time thus spent enjoyable and profitable. Refreshments and a social time generally brought the gathering to a close.

## Temperance Lectures.

Col. Chas. J. Holt, of Chicago, one of the foremost temperance lecturers in this country, is speaking in Kentucky under the auspices of the State W. C. T. U. He has lately been in Lancaster, and is now in Danville. He is to be in Berea from Sunday to Wednesday next, and will speak as follows: Parish House each day from Sunday to Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. Tabernacle at the Chapel Service Sunday night. Tabernacle, Monday morning, giving the usual Monday lecture. Baptist Church, Monday night. Disciple Church, Tuesday night. Colored school-house, Wednesday night. Col. Holt is a man of large experience in the temperance lecture field, and has the best of endorsements. The *Union Signal*, of Chicago, says, "He is one of our standbys. Always sets things going wherever he is. His audiences limited only by size of buildings. Many turned away nightly." The *New Voice* says, "No man in the country has a longer string of local option victories to his credit than has Mr. Holt." No admission fee will be charged at any of the lectures. Let every one hear him as often as possible while he is with us.

## Corsican's Privilege.

Mr. Justice Darling at the Newcastle (England) assizes in summing up a case of stabbing said the fact that the prisoner was a Corsican, whose blood was hot for the constant use of the knife, must be taken into consideration.

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# NEWS ITEMS FOR THE BUSY READER

## What Has Recently Transpired Throughout the World.

### THE DOINGS OF CONGRESSMEN.

Labor's Unrest in Russia and Interesting Foreign News—Crimes and Casualties and Important Intelligence Culled and Noted.

#### CONGRESSIONAL.

Senator Bard introduced an amendment to the Indian appropriation bill providing that no portion of the funds appropriated by the bill shall be available for the support of any sectarian or denominational school.

Senator Clark (Mont.), from the committee on foreign relations, reported favorably the bill authorizing the construction of an irrigation dam across the Rio Grande river between the United States and Mexico.

The conference report on the omnibus claims bill agreed to carries \$2,321,810 direct appropriations for 1,759 claimants. It refers to the court of claims bills amounting to from \$500,000 to \$750,000.

The house entered an emphatic protest against the action of the senate in amending the agricultural appropriation bill so as to interrupt the drawback feature of the Dingley tariff affecting wheat.

The house committee on Indian affairs authorized a favorable report on the McGuire bill authorizing an equal division of the lands and moneys of the Osage tribe of Indians.

The Mann bill, to provide a government for the canal zone, was passed in the house. The bill gives all the right of government of the isthmian canal zone to the president until the end of the next congress.

In order to facilitate action at this session on the statehood bill the house passed a resolution sending that measure as amended by the senate directly into conference without an opportunity being afforded to debate it.

The senate passed the bill appropriating \$9,940,000 for the District of Columbia and the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill carrying \$2,155,000.

The senate terminated its controversy with the house over the amendment constraining the provision in the Dingley law relative to the drawback on imported wheat by receding from the amendment inserted in the agricultural appropriation bill as it passed the senate.

Representative Hearst introduced a bill prohibiting interstate commerce in any produce of labor of the soil or of mineral produced or controlled by a monopoly.

The pension appropriation bill, carrying \$138,250,100, was passed by the house in record-breaking time.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

The bill introduced at the suggestion of Gov. Folk by Senator Dickinson, which provided that witnesses who testify in bribery prosecutions be exempt from prosecution was defeated in the Missouri senate.

President Roosevelt was the guest of the Hungarian Republican club in east side, New York. He was well guarded by police and secret service men.

At the annual reunion of the New York Alumni association of the Western Reserve university, of Cleveland, O., Charles F. Thwing, president of the university, lamented the fact that college faculties are no longer recruited from the strongest men in the country.

H. W. Fletcher lowered the world's automobile one mile record one second by driving the 60-horse power machine of O. F. Thomas that distance in 45 seconds.

Members of the Chicago Commercial club who went to Cuba two weeks ago to study the resources of that island, have returned, enthusiastic over the possibilities of the new republic.

F. A. Falkenburg, head counsel of the Woodmen of the World, died of a complication of nervous and kidney troubles at Los Angeles, Cal.

Marguerite, 16, and Mamie, 5, daughters of Etlian Brewer, a farmer living near Texarkana, Ark., were burned to death.

Fire partly destroyed the Brevoort house, Chicago, causing a loss of \$100,000 to the building and hotel furnishings, and forcing 150 guests to make a hurried departure. Three firemen were injured.

An entire brigade of the New Jersey National guard will participate in the inaugural parade, and will serve as the personal escort of Gov. Stokes.

Secretary Hitchcock recommends the reduction of the amount of Osage Indian lands in Oklahoma covered by oil leases from upwards of 1,500,000 acres to 680,000 acres.

Alexander Mead, a colored man 116 years old, died at Toledo, O. Mead was born in slavery, October 24, 1789, near the Big Sandy river, in Greenup county, Kentucky.

Branch societies of the Red Cross are to be organized in each state and territory.

A fierce gale raged in Northern Indiana and snow was drifted higher than the roofs of cars. Railway traffic was almost paralyzed.

Fifty vessels will be added to Japan's naval strength as a result of salvage operations at Port Arthur in raising sunken vessels.

Ex-Gov. Horace Boise, of Iowa, is lying critically ill at Hot Springs, Ark., where he went for his health.

The Japanese minister had a long conference with Secretary Hay. After he left Count Cassini called. This has revived peace talk.

The Pacific mail steamship Korea sailed for the Orient with a cargo of 11,000 tons of merchandise, which includes a large amount of war material for the Japanese government.

United States district attorneys and marshals received an order from Attorney General Moody prohibiting them or any of their employees from doing any kind of lobby work before the Missouri legislature.

An entire detachment of Japanese cavalry which had destroyed the railway bridge between Mukden and Harbin was wiped out. Russian cavalry overtook the raiders, who are said to have refused quarters and fought until the last man was killed.

The Japanese began a heavy cannonading on the Russian right flank near Mukden, and the firing continued all through the next day. It is thought the Japanese are preparing for a general attack.

The president's message transmitting to the senate the new Santo Domingo protocol was read at an executive session. The subject of the Monroe doctrine is discussed at some length, especially as regards the relations of the United States to the republics of the south.

The pardon board granted a continuance of 30 days in the case of Mrs. Kate Edwards, who had been sentenced to hang for the murder of her husband at Reading, Pa. Her colored paragon, Samuel Greason, was granted a rehearing.

At Bridgeton, N. J., when the attempt was made to hang Frank Ralinger the rope broke and Ralinger dropped to the ground. The fall broke his neck.

Nearly 300 Filipinos, comprising the battalion of Philippine scouts, who have been at the World's fair for nearly a year, left St. Louis in a special train for Fort Thomas, Ky.

A movement is on foot to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln on February 12, 1909.

Surrounded by his family, Gen. Lew Wallace, author of "Ben Hur," one time minister to Turkey and veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, died at his home in Crawfordsville, Ind., aged 78 years. The health of Gen. Wallace has been waning for several years.

A diamond weighing 324 carats has been discovered in South Africa in the vicinity of the place where the largest diamond ever unearthed was recently found.

To successfully fight the trusts within its borders, a constitutional convention may be called to broaden the powers of the Kansas legislature.

The house committee on military affairs authorized a favorable report on a joint resolution providing that union and confederate battleflags in the custody of the war department shall be returned to the proper authorities in the states where regiments were organized.

The president has ordered an investigation of the Standard Oil Co. In a letter to Commissioner of Corporations Garfield the president outlined his views and ordered that the investigation be rigid and comprehensive.

If the senate does not pass the Townsend rate bill at this session the president will surely call an extra session of congress in the fall to wrestle with the problem.

Jay Cooke, 83, whose fame as a financier is world-wide, died at the home of his son-in-law, Charles D. Barney, at Ogontz, a suburb of Philadelphia.

Upon the pressure of President Castro the court has ordered the sequestration of the landed property of the American Asphalt Co. in Venezuela.

A United States squadron of 14 warships will visit Havana on March 10.

Funds with which to prosecute the inquiry into the methods of the Standard Oil Co. in Kansas were asked of the house by Secretary Metcalf, of the department of commerce and labor.

For the first time in history the legislative wheels of the government were stilled for a portion of a day to pay tribute to a woman's memory. The occasion was the formal acceptance by congress from the state of Illinois of a statue of Frances E. Willard, the first national president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The final signing of the British parcels post treaty is a source of considerable gratification to officials in Washington and a substantial increase in the volume of postal business is expected to follow.

Dr. W. S. Haines and O. W. Lewke, who have been analyzing the stomach and liver of Mrs. Marie Welker-Hoch, the latest alleged victim of Johann Hoch, declared definitely that the woman's death was due to arsenical poisoning.

A resolution introduced in the Kansas legislature provides for a vote of the people in 1906 on the question of calling a constitutional convention. The new constitution would be expected to be very strongly against trusts.

Health Officer Sprattling at Cristobal, canal zone, states positively that it has not been shown that yellow fever does exist or has existed in Colon since July 1.

Three carloads of statuary and other plaster works of art sent by the recent Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co. for use in the inaugural ceremonies, have arrived in Washington.

Snow to the depth of from three to five feet fell in Northwestern Pennsylvania.

A bill for the establishment of a state oil refinery has been introduced in the Colorado legislature.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending February 16 number 243, as against 207 last week, 231 in the like week in 1904, and 188 in 1903.

The president favors the building of three new battleships instead of two, as the bill in congress now stands.

Charles E. Rogers, a wealthy lumber dealer of Brooklyn, was instantly killed by falling down the hatchway of the steamer Cuzza while he was inspecting a cargo of mahogany.

The final meeting for this congress of the house committee on merchant marine and fisheries was held. A bill was favorably acted on abolishing the requirement for licensed mates on sailing vessels.

The navy department has awarded contracts to Lind & Co., of New York, and McCall, of Baltimore, for the transportation of 60,000 tons of coal to the naval stations at Cavite, Philippine islands.

Representatives of about 60 crude petroleum producing companies met in Chicago and took the first steps toward the formation of an organization which they declare will be of national strength inside of a year.

According to reports in circulation the Dowager Empress of Russia has received a threatening letter warning her that she will be the next victim.

Christopher W. Bergen, former congressman from New Jersey, is dead at his home in Havreford, a suburb of Philadelphia, aged 64.

President Roosevelt has not abandoned his idea of obtaining, with the leading powers of the world, definite, comprehensive and effective agreements as to a scheme of international arbitration.

Mrs. Sophia Westover died at Wyocena, Wis., in her 105th year. Her father assisted in the capture of Fort Ticonderoga, under Ethan Allen.

Fifteen thousand members of organized labor in Colorado will assemble in Denver March 2, when the legislature is scheduled to act on the report of the committee that has been investigating the claims of Adams and Peabody to the governorship of Colorado.

Five men were killed and 13 injured in an accident on No. 2 slope of No. 1 colliery of the Lytle operation, at Pottsville, Pa., by a fall of top rock while a "gunboat" loaded with 18 men on their way to work was going down the shaft.

Five people were burned to death in a dwelling house at Howe Brook plantation, about 50 miles north of Island Falls, Me.

The Mexican government has appointed a commission of artillerymen to make a report on a new explosive invented by a New York man who has offered the exclusive use thereof to Mexico.

Midshipman Samuel Westray Battle, of the second class at the naval academy, and a son of Surgeon Samuel W. Battle, U. S. N., retired, of Asheville, N. C., dropped dead in the Annapolis academy.

Rt. Rev. William E. McLaren, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Chicago, died in New York. His death was due to heart failure.

According to a dispatch from Mukden, special reports have been received at the place stating the surrender of Port Arthur occurred against the wishes of most officers of the garrison.

J. L. Crawford, president of the People's Coal Co., Scranton, Pa., died at his winter home in Indian River, Fla. He was well known in anthracite trade, and was prominent among the operators during the last strike.

Field Marshal Oyama reports that the Russians are continuing their defensive works in all directions. They continued to shell portions of the Japanese lines.

The Symes block, Denver, Col., a three-story structure occupied by stores and offices, was destroyed by fire entailing a loss estimated at \$300,000.

Seven business houses were consumed at Tyler, Tex., entailing a loss estimated at \$150,000.

John B. Blackhawk, 26, a full-blooded Winnebago Indian, just returned home from the Carlisle Indian school, has eloped with and married Olive Hart, the 19-year-old daughter of a Pender (Neb.) physician.

One person was killed, two others were injured and several narrowly escaped as the result of the collapse of a ruined building in West Fourteenth street, Chicago.

President Roosevelt sent a message of condolence to the Czar over the murder of his uncle, Grand Duke Sergius.

The Japanese navy department announces the seizure of the British steamer Silvana, bound for Vladivostok with Cardiff coal. The place where the seizure was made is not stated in the dispatch.

The strike situation in St. Petersburg is growing menacing. It has assumed the form of a lock-out, the Pullman iron works, the Franco-Russian works, the Russo-American rubber works and a few smaller concerns having discharged all their employees with the notice that the works will be shut down indefinitely, throwing out thousands of workmen.

Sir Chentung Liang-Cheng, the Chinese minister, presented to President Roosevelt an oil painting of the Dowager Empress of China.

Robert L. Archer has been detailed for duty on the post office and courthouse building at Huntington, W. Va., as superintendent of construction.

Ennis R. Austin has been detailed as superintendent of construction on the postoffice building now being erected at Richmond, Ind.

Dr. G. H. Smith has been appointed pension examining surgeon at New Castle, Ind., vice Dr. E. E. Kirk, resigned.

## MET TERRIBLE DEATH.

### Grand Duke Sergius, Uncle of the Czar, Assassinated.

A Bomb Thrown Under His Carriage Exploded, Tearing the Victim's Body Into Ghastly Fragments, Littering the Snow.

Moscow, Feb. 18.—Within the walls of the far-famed Kremlin palace, and almost underneath the historical tower from which Ivan the Terrible watched the heads of his enemies falling beneath the ax on the famous Red square, and within a stone's throw of the great bell of Moscow, Grand Duke Sergius, uncle and brother-in-law of Emperor Nicholas, and the chief of the reactionaries, met a terrible death. The deed was committed by a single terrorist, who threw beneath the carriage of the grand duke a bomb charged with the same high power explosive which wrought Minister von Plehve's death. The missile was packed with nails and fragments of iron and its explosion tore the imperial victim's body to ghastly fragments, which strewed the snow for yards around.

The assassin belongs to the noted "fighting group" of the socialist revolutionary party, which has removed other prominent officials and long since passed sentence of death upon Grand Duke Sergius. The grand duke knew that he stood in the shadow of death.

When the duke's carriage was in front of the courts of justice, where the walls of the triangle approach forming a narrow entrance to the Nikolsky gate, a man clad in workman's attire stepped forward from the sidewalk and threw a bomb which he had concealed beneath his coat. A terrible explosion followed and a hail of iron pelted the grim stone walls of the arsenal and courts of justice. A thick cloud of smoke, snow and debris arose. When it had cleared a ghastly sight was presented. On the snow lay fragments of the body of Grand Duke Sergius, mingled with the wreck of the carriage. The grand duke's head had been torn from his body and reduced to a shapeless pulp and the trunk and limbs were frightfully mangled. A finger bearing a rich seal ring was found lying several yards away.

The crimson tint and sickening smell of blood were everywhere. Only a few fragments of cloth indicated that the body had been once clothed.

The coachman lay moaning with pain beside a deep hole in the pavement. The horses, dragging the front wheels of the carriage, had dashed off, maddened with pain, to sink dying before they reached the gate.

Police officials rapidly gathered, but before anything could be done towards collecting the scattered fragments of the body, Grand Duchess Elizabeth drove up in an open carriage. She had dropped her work at the headquarters of the Red Cross and sped to the scene of the crime without waiting to don her outer wraps. She broke down entirely at the sight and dropped to her knees, sobbing bitterly.

The assassin was thrown to the ground and stunned by the force of the explosion, but he quickly arose and ran toward the gate, attempting to escape. His haste, and the blood streaming from his face where he had been wounded by fragments of the bomb, attracted the attention of a sergeant of police, who seized him before he could draw his revolver. The man did not deny his crime, but on the contrary, gloried in its success.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—It has now been definitely decided that the remains of Grand Duke Sergius will not be brought to St. Petersburg for the present, but will be placed in a temporary receiving vault of the cloister of the Chudoff monastery, to await the completion of alterations now in progress in the Romanoff mausoleum in the cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul, where the permanent interment will occur, among the tombs of his ancestors. On account of lack of space in the mausoleum it was decided last year henceforth to bury only rulers of the dynasty in the old mausoleum and a new sepulchre in the new wing of the cathedral is now being built for other members of the imperial family.

So grave is the danger of a repetition of the Moscow tragedy that several of the grand dukes have not stirred out of their palaces since the murder, and instead of going to Tsarskoe-Selo to attend the requiem there, they have participated in special services held in the chapels of their own palaces. This was the case as regards the Grand Dukes Vladimir and Alexis. A special requiem also was held in the winter palace that Gov. Gen. Trepoft might attend. Gen. Trepoft is known to be under sentence by the fighting organization of the social revolutionists, and so far as can be ascertained, has not left his quarters in the palace since the assassination of Grand Duke Sergius.

The Strike Spreading.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 18.—The strike is extending. About 6,400 employees of the Nevsky thread works joined in the movement. The strikers now total about 30,000. The temper of the men is more threatening and Cossacks have been called out.

Appeals For Peace.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 18.—The Empress of Russia has received from the women of Moscow an address piteously appealing to her as a woman and a mother to use her influence with the emperor to secure peace.

## STATE NEWS PICK-UPS

### SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR.

The Hunt Site Bill Is Now in Full Force and Effect.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 15.—Gov. Beckham signed and approved the "Hunt site bill" and it is now in full force and effect. The state house commissioners held a meeting and had all the owners of the Hunt site land before them endeavoring to reach an agreement by which the line on the north of the Hunt property, from Shelby to Logan streets, can be made straight, so that a broad street can be opened along the north border of the property. The property owners announced that they would agree among themselves to make the line straight. A proposition will be made to the city of Frankfort to purchase a strip of ground 40 feet wide and 400 feet long so as to make Main street 90 feet wide for its full length up to the Hunt site. If the city will do this the commissioners will open up a street 100 feet wide from Shelby to Logan streets, a distance of 900 feet.

### CHARGED WITH SHORTAGE.

Sheriff Resigned and Was Arrested By His Deputy.

Hazard, Ky., Feb. 16.—Monday morning Sheriff E. H. Cornett handed his resignation to County Judge Eversole, and it is alleged fled to escape arrest by bondsmen for the embezzlement of \$2,500.

Deputy Sheriff Combs is now on his way back to Hazard with Cornett in his custody.

Cornett's alleged shortage folk yed the failure to obtain his quietus from the state auditor in December. His bondsmen, however, immediately came to Cornett's rescue and put up the \$2,700 necessary to get his quietus, which he secured just in the nick of time to execute his bond, as the law prescribes that a sheriff must have obtained his quietus and produced it in open court on the first Monday in January. The bondsmen say they will prosecute him to the fullest extent of the law.

### COLORADO MURDERER HANGED.

He Confessed To the Shocking Crime While on the Scaffold.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 18.—Roy Green, colored, was hanged here for the brutal murder of James Coomes, a white man, at the fair grounds on July 31, last year. A large crowd of farmers witnessed the execution in the jail yard. Green had previously maintained his innocence, but when he mounted the scaffold he confessed committing the cruel murder. He claimed, however, he killed Coomes in self-defense, but the evidence at the trial showed that the crime was one of the most cold-blooded and shocking ever perpetrated in this section of the state. After making his confession to the officers, the deputy sheriffs adjusted the black cap, and a few seconds later his body dropped into space. The fall broke his neck, and he was pronounced dead in six minutes.

### A DISCHARGED EMPLOYEE.

Shot and Wounded President Stewart, of the Stewart Iron Works.

Covington, Ky., Feb. 17.—R. C. Stewart, Jr., president and treasurer of the Stewart iron works, was shot over the heart by George J. Woelfel, 50, of 1044 Russell street, Covington, formerly one of his highest-salaried employees. The shooting took place in the office of the company, Seventeenth and Madison avenue, and the wounded man was aided to his home, 1531 Madison avenue, where his condition was pronounced not critical. Woelfel was arrested by Patrolmen Doheny and Schmeing on a charge of shooting to kill.

### Continued Until March Term.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 17.—The case of Lewis Mitchell, the negro servant charged with an attempt to poison the family of Judge James H. Mulligan, and which created such a sensation at the time, was called in the circuit court and continued until the March term.

### Protests Against Assessment.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 19.—Charles H. Berryman, manager of the Elmendorf farm of J. B. Haggins, has filed before County Judge F. A. Bullock a petition protesting against the valuation as fixed by the board of supervisors upon various tracts of land owned by Mr. Haggins.

### Little Girl Burned To Death.

Elizabethtown, Ky., Feb. 18.—Ruth Kerrick, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kerrick, of near town, lost her life by fire. Her clothing ignited from the fireplace and she was so badly burned that she died shortly in the greatest agony.

### Brakeman Badly Injured.

Clay City, Ky., Feb. 18.—An L. & E. freight brakeman named Stricklin was caught between the drawheads of two cars and badly bruised. The chances for his recovery are doubtful. He was taken to the hospital at Lexington.

### The Second Set of Twins.

Henderson, Ky., Feb. 18.—Twin girls were born to the wife of County Clerk L. W. Powell. This is the second set of twins in this family within two years. There are 18 children in all in the family.

### CHARGE AGAINST OFFICERS.

It Is Alleged That They Robbed Two Women.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 16.—William Gat's and James Rhodes, members of the Owensboro police force, were arrested on warrants sworn out by Mrs. Forest Mason and her sister, Susie Fields, charging them with robbery and breach of the peace.

The women allege that the officers came to their home, in the western part of the city, and demanded \$25 from each. The policemen, the women say, beat them and knocked them about the room. They then drew their pistols and forced the women to get out all the money they possessed and give it to them. The women also charge the officers with taking the Fields girl to the front porch and tearing her clothes off. The thermometer was at zero at the time and she suffered intensely from the cold. The officers resigned from the police force.

### THE HARGIS HEARING.

Chief Justice Hobson Postponed It Until February 25.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 18.—Chief Justice Hobson, of the Kentucky court of appeals, postponed until Saturday, February 25, next, the hearing before that court of the Hargis case, involving the question of jurisdiction between the Fayette and Breathitt county circuit courts in the murder trials. The continuance was granted because of the illness of Magistrate Edwards, of Breathitt, the principal witness of both sides.

In continuing the hearing, the court ordered that the answer of the state be filed, and permits the attorneys for the Hargises to take the deposition of Edwards, to be used only in the event that he is not able to be here when the case is again called.

### THE WINCHESTER COLLEGE.

The Methodist Board Has Decided To Rebuild the Structure.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 18.—Accepting an offer made by the people of Winchester to the educational board of the Methodist Episcopal church south, the latter body, which met here, decided to rebuild at once the college destroyed by fire in Winchester. Winchester people appeared before the board and offered to give any amount necessary to reconstruct the college buildings over and above the \$20,000 insurance money. This left the board with nothing to replace but the library and furniture for the buildings.

### W. E. BRADLEY.

The Well-Known Distiller Succumbed To Heart Disease.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 17.—W. E. Bradley, 63, assistant treasurer and general manager of the Kentucky Distilleries and Warehouse Co., and brother of Edson Bradley, president of the company, of New York, and one of the promoters of the company, died of heart disease after returning from the theater. He was born in New York and is one of the best-known distillers in America. He leaves an estate of over half a million and is survived by a wife and two children.

### Unknown Man Killed.

Covington, Ky., Feb. 16.—An unknown man was killed by a train on the L. & N. tracks back of the car barns in Central Covington. The man's neck was broken and his right arm and side were considerably mangled by the wheels of the train.

### They Deny the Report.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 18.—Officials of the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis railroad deny that they are planning to build their own line from West Point to Louisville, thus abandoning their present use of the Illinois Central tracks.

### He Gave Bond.

Hazard, Ky., Feb. 18.—E. H. Cornett, late sheriff of Perry county, was arraigned, waived examination and gave bond. He is charged with the embezzlement of public money. His alleged shortage amounts to \$3,000 or \$2,500.

### Young Man Shot By a Physician.

Smithland, Ky., Feb. 17.—Blunt Hodge, a young man of Smithland, was shot and dangerously wounded by Dr. Fred G. LaRue, who claimed that Hodge had broken up his home. The physician fired four times at Hodge, three bullets taking effect.

### Made Special Judge.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 18.—Gov. Beckham appointed B. B. Petrie, of Todd county, to serve as special circuit judge in Logan county for the coming term, the regular judge being unable to sit.

### Had To Be Killed.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 17.—Col. Milton Young had the misfortune to lose a valuable and promising colt through an accident at the association track. The youngster was being led over the ground when he slipped on the ice and fell, breaking a leg.

### Given Death Sentence.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 16.—The jury in the case of Garth Tompkins, colored, charged with the murder of Jim Brame, colored, two years ago last Christmas, returned a verdict of guilty and fixed punishment at death.

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**HORSE STOLEN.**

A dark bay horse, white stripe in forehead, 16 hands high, weight about 900 pounds. Was stolen Saturday night, Feb. 12. Anyone able to give information leading to the recovery will receive a reward.

G. P. PHILLIPS, Berea, Ky.

Anyone having claims against the estate of C. M. Cliff, deceased, should present them to me on or before the 10th of March, 1905, verified according to law. C. E. CLIFF, Admr.

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**OWSLEY COUNTY.  
BOONEVILLE.**

Feb. 20.—Cash Williams, of Jackson, was a visitor in town last week. —Charley Becknell, of Wilmore, was in town the greater part of the last two weeks looking after his business interests, and visiting old friends. —Miss Minnie Herd went to Athol Saturday to open a ten weeks' school at that place. —Rev. Moore's administered the rite of baptism to about ten or twelve converts at Clifty last Sunday. A Sunday-school will probably be organized at that place as a result of the recent revival. —Mr. and Mrs. Will Price, of Beattyville, were visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Breeding, several days last week. —John Eversole returned home Friday, after a short trip to London and other neighboring towns in the interests of his candidacy for United States District Attorney. Mr. Eversole's prospects for securing the position are good; he will bring a high degree of efficiency to the filling of the place. —The continued bad weather has been very productive of sickness, and a large number of the townspeople have been the victims of coughs, cold and grip. —Floyd Price, of Levi, left some days ago for Louisville, where he will secure employment. Later he will probably locate in Ohio for a time. —Dillard Mainous, of Buck Creek, returned home last week, after a two weeks' visit in Cincinnati. —The recent break-up of the river was the occasion of great loss to the lumber and mill-men all along its course as many thousands of logs were carried away. Almost all of the town people went to the river while the tide was on to see the novel sight. —Revs. Ball and Moores will preach at this place Sunday. Rev. Ball will probably baptize a number of persons by immersion, if the condition of the river is favorable. —There is quite an epidemic of whooping-cough among the children of the town, just at present. —At the Presbyterian church Sunday, Rev. Campbell conducted an installation service, the occasion being the installing of John G. Neace as elder, and Will Wilder as deacon. This brings the number of deacons and elders up to the required number. —The last meeting of the Literary Society was the most successful yet. The question for debate was "Resolved that the love of woman has more influence over man than the love of money," affirmed by J. G. Neace and Flora Cawood and denied by Nannie Wilson and T. F. Campbell. It was most interestingly discussed. —G. W. Jackson has bought the farm of J. T. Mainous, on Buck Creek, for a consideration of one thousand dollars.

We have experienced so far the coldest winter since 1888-9, and more snow. —S. P. Hogg, who has been very sick for sometime, has sufficiently recovered as to be out again. —We were sorry indeed to learn through THE CITIZEN of the death of our old friend and former neighbor, Nancy Robinson, of Berea, under whose welcome roof we have often sheltered, at whose bountiful table we have so often shared her hospitalities, and desire through THE CITIZEN to join in with her many friends and relatives in expressions of regret for the loss of so loved a friend and relative.

**GABBARD.**

Feb. 20.—We are having the coldest winter that has been experienced here for some years. Last Monday night was the coldest of the season; the thermometer registered 10 below zero. —Farmers are getting behind with their work. —There was an ice tide in the river last week, which did very much damage to the logging men. —Granville Baker, of Buffalo Creek, this County, died last week. He had been blind for a number of years. —Feed stuff is getting scarce in this part of the country. —P. H. Gabbard is on the sick list at this writing. —Wm. Huff and Albert Gabbard were out fox hunting Saturday. —Lincoln Bolin was here Sunday. —A lot of river men passed through here last week on the way to their homes in Clay County.

**JACKSON COUNTY.  
DRIP ROCK.**

C. H. Click, of Kerby Knob, was in our midst Sunday to see his best girl. —John Thompson visited friends in McKee last week. —Mrs. Riley, who has been ill for some time, died Saturday morning, and was buried Sunday. She leaves a bereaved husband and five children, and a host of friends who mourn her loss. —Miss Annie Kelley visited home folks Sunday at Station Camp. —Senator W. H. Clark, of McKee, commanded a fine fox excursion on

Drip Rock Hills, Saturday night. —Quite a large congregation was out Sunday to hear Rev. Parsons preach. —John D. Alcorn, who has been in Hamilton, Ohio, for quite a while is spending the Winter with home folks. —Turner Kelley, one of our prominent business men, visited friends on Station Camp, Sunday. —Dr. Bige Wilson has purchased a flock of fine northern geese; their plumage seems to be an ornamental attraction. —Married on the 20th, Mr. Boss Parsons, of Alcorn, to Miss Sally Alcorn. May their paths of life be strewn with many flowers. —It is reported that another new wedding dress was purchased in our vicinity last week. Another marriage will not be a surprise. —We have been having some very disagreeable weather for the past month. Our merchants say they can't get their merchandise from the railroad stations owing to so much ice being in the roads. G. M. Parsons is a candidate for assessor. Mr. Parsons is one of our most prominent citizens and business men. —Prof. Lee J. Webb, of Annville, candidate for County Superintendent of Public Schools in this county, passed through Alcorn near this place last week on a canvassing tour.

Died of consumption on the 16th, the wife of Isaac Alcorn. She was buried in the family burying ground. —Mr. Sparkman has closed his school on account of cold weather. He visited H. H. Fowler's, Friday night. —Jim and Ed. Richardson are back from Hamilton. —Allan Powell was in this vicinity Friday. He says he is a candidate for County Clerk Court. Candidates and remaining voters are about equally divided in Jackson County.

**SAND GAP.**

Feb. 20.—W. C. Martin, of Ill., visited L. B. Martin, of Sand Gap, last week; he looked as if he were enjoying good health. He says times are prosperous in Ill. He started for home on the 15th. —W. S. Brockman is down very low with the grip. —Daw Parsons and wife, of Alcorn, visited Jane Alcorn last Monday. —G. W. Hallan, Deputy Surveyor, went up Dry Fork on the 15th to survey a piece of land for Cash Lainhart. —This is the coldest weather that has been experienced here for years. —Farmers have not done anything toward farming. —R. F. Lucas has rented a farm from Mary B. Clay, near Foxtown, Madison County, and is going to move to it right away. He rented his farm to George Miller. —Aunt Sally Bales has been very low with the grip, but is getting better. —John Morris has purchased a farm from J. C. Powell, of Madison County, and is going to move soon. He sold his farm for the sum of \$175. —Green Amyx, the Deputy Sheriff, a candidate for Jailor, was through our vicinity last week in the interest of his candidacy. If the voters of Jackson County want a good honest man to fill the office of Jailor of Jackson County, they need not hunt any further for he is the man. He has made a first-class Deputy Sheriff. —Joel Lakes, Sr., has been very sick, but is getting better. —The Republican primary to nominate the County Officers is set for April 8.

**MADISON COUNTY.  
HICKORY PLAINS.**

Feb. 17.—Mrs. Williamson Boulware died at her home at Kingston, Feb. 15. —Mrs. Ballenger died Thursday, Nov. 9, and was buried in Johnson grave yard, on Friday the 18th. —The youngest child of Mack Johnson is sick with pneumonia. —Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maupin passed through here Saturday, going to Paint Lick to visit her brothers and sisters. —Green Durham of Kingston and Miss Bertha Powell were married Thursday, Feb. 9. —Miss Lucy Carter, of Blue Lick, spent Sunday with Misses Bertha and Mollie Johnson. —Misses Lucy Carter, Bertha and Murtie Johnson were guests of Ula Jackson, Saturday night. —Our Sunday School still has a good attendance these cold Sundays. We are expecting Miss Horn, of Berea, to give us a lecture some Sunday in the near future. —Mr. and Mrs. Eli Cornelison have been sick the last few days. —Miss Annie Bengé of this place, and Lizzie Scovel of London, Ky., left Wednesday morning for Villa Grove, Ill., accompanied by J. C. Bengé as far as Indianapolis, Ind., where he will work during spring.

**DREYFUS.**

Feb. 20.—Rev. Lunsford, of Berea, preached at the Christian Church, Sunday, to a large audience. —Lewis Sandlin, Sr., and Miss Martha Powell were Berea visitors Saturday and Sunday. —Tom Adams, of Kingston, attended Church here Sunday.

—L. C. Powell was in Jackson County last week. —Miss Ena Baker, who has been visiting at Berea for some time, returned home Sunday. —George Bernege, of Big Hill, was in Dreyfus, Sunday. —Mrs. Martha Ogg, who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving. —Curt Bengé and wife, of Big Hill, is visiting Mrs. Bengé's parents this week. —John Morriss, of Jackson County, came down last week and purchased a small farm of J. C. Powell near Dreyfus, known as the Tennessee farm. —Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Sandlin, a 12 pound boy.

**CLAY COUNTY.  
ONEIDA.**

Feb. 17.—The people of this place were severely injured by the ice tide. —Lee Combs, of Oneida had a fine mule drowned during the tide last week. —Leonard Wood, Rhoda Sparks and T. A. Becknell paid their parents a visit on Sexton and Island Creeks last Friday and Saturday. —The Oneida Baptist church held a protracted meeting in which they received fifty joiners. —The Literary society met last Friday night at Oneida and had a nice time. —P. M. Frye, who went to Leslie county to teach school, has returned to his home on Island Creek. —The winter term of school of Oneida will close on the 10th day of March. —The girls' dormitory is proving a fine success. —Hugh Burns was across the river yesterday on business. —Prof. Burns went to Georgetown last week on business. —Miss Lula Combs visited her mother yesterday at Tankersley. —There will be a baptizing here the 20th. There are fifty to be baptized.

**ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.  
ROCKFORD.**

Feb. 20.—C. I. Ogg visited W. H. Linville, Sunday. —J. W. Todd, who has been sick, is somewhat better. —W. T. Linville went to J. W. Lake's, Sunday, on business. —Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephen visited J. W. Todd and family, Sunday. —Reecie Todd visited her cousin, Vergie Martin, Saturday and Sunday. —D. G. Waddle and Willie Purkey were at Rockford, Sunday. —Mrs. Nora McGuire visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Martin, Sunday evening. —There will be preaching at Macedonia Saturday and Sunday. —J. J. Martin and son Casper, J. Grant and Jim Stinger went fox hunting Saturday night. —John Stephens visited Bert Martin, Sunday. —Mrs. Susannah Holman is very sick at this writing. —Burgess McGuire has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Martin, for a few days. —Died, Feb. 19, the little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Northern. —W. W. Anglin, of Disputanta, visited his cousin, W. H. Stephens, Tuesday night. —H. E. Bullen, of Conway, called on Miss Minnie Waddle, Sunday. —Miss Rattie McCollom visited F. M. Todd, Sunday evening. —J. O. Scoggin, of Mt. Vernon, was at Wm. Lineville's again last Sunday. —We are having some very bad weather now.

**MASON COUNTY.  
MAYSVILLE.**

Feb. 20.—Mrs. Nancy Duncan is indisposed at her home on East Fifth street. —The New Era Institute held at the Bethel church last week, under the supervision of Rev. Butler, was successful notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. —Rev. J. F. Wilson is the present guest of Rev. Wm. Price. —Miss Hattie Williams, who has been critically ill for sometime, is no better at this writing. —The Valentine entertainment given for benefit of the Bethel Sewing Circle at the residence of Mrs. Bettie Hayes was a complete success from start to finish. —Mrs. Susan Dimmitt is ill at her home on Maddox Street. —Miss Mary Britton, of North Fork, visited our city Sunday. —The Bethel Baptist Sewing Circle is one of the most enterprising and progressive organizations of this city. It has been organized a little over one year and during that time it has raised and expended over \$300 for the benefit of the church and for charity work. —Mrs. Kate McAllister, of Cincinnati, is visiting Mrs. Nancy Steward of East Sixth street.

**COLCHESTER, ILL.**

Feb. 14.—Many of those who live near Berea will be interested in knowing that two of our aged citizens, lately deceased, of Hancock County, Ill., were born and raised near Berea. Jesse Wright died Dec. 19, 1905, aged 72 years. John Todd died Feb. 8, 1905, aged 79 years. They married sisters by the name of Elder. —We are having colder weather in these parts than we have had for 15 years. More snow every day, although it has been good sledding for six weeks or more. The thermometer down to 32 degrees below, Monday.

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